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FORECAST—Light to occasional moderate southwesterly winds, partly cloudy and mild to day. Thursday, light to moderate easterly winds, cloudy and mild with some light rain.

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April	Time	High	Low	Time	High
9	1:05	7.6	1.10	5:17	4.1
10	1:28	8.0	1.10	4:13	4.3
11	1:59	8.3	1.10	3:14	4.6

Sun sets, 6:55; rises Thursday, 5:34.

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### 11 Nazis Bagged

LONDON (CP)—Eleven Nazi planes were shot down in the 12 hours ending early this morning, two of them by warships, the Air Ministry news service announced tonight.

### Axis-Mexico Break?

MEXICO CITY (AP)—Official sources said late today Berlin and Rome probably would sever diplomatic relations as a result of Mexico's expropriation of 12 Axis ships harbored in Tampico and Vera Cruz.

### French Novelist Dies

VICHY (AP)—Marcel Prevost, 79, French novelist and playwright and member of the French Academy since 1909, died last night at his home in Vienne, it was learned today.

### New Appointments

OTTAWA (CP)—Appointment of Lt.-Col. V. S. C. McClenaghan of Ottawa, Royal Canadian Corps of Signals, to be assistant adjutant general at National Defence Headquarters was announced by the Defence Department today. Col. McClenaghan is a former officer commanding the 3rd Division Signals here.

The department also announced Maj. W. C. Murphy, Vancouver (Princess Patricia's Light Infantry), has been named deputy assistant quartermaster-general, Military District No. 11 (Victoria), and Maj. A. W. Brown, Vancouver, has been appointed acting general staff officer (2nd grade).

### Athens Off the Air

ATHENS (AP)—The Athens radio, which usually broadcasts a news bulletin at 8:45 p.m., was not on the air tonight.

### Lose 2 Trawlers

LONDON (CP)—The Admiralty announced tonight two trawlers, the Lord Selborne and Craymond Island, had been sunk.

### Funeral in Nanaimo

VANCOUVER (CP)—Funeral services will be held tomorrow at Nanaimo for Thomas Bryborough Cairns, 43, president of the Powell River branch of the Canadian Legion, who died here Monday.

### 2 Shanghai Japs Slain

SHANGHAI (AP)—Two gunmen shot and killed two more Japanese policemen patrolling the Japanese military-occupied section of the International Settlement today. The assassins escaped.

## The War Today

### SPEED ITALIANS OUT

Allied troops today were believed speeding the departure of the Italian invaders of Albania towards the little country's seagates while in northern Europe the tempo and weight of aerial attacks rose and increased with clearing skies.

Jugoslav troops joined their Greek allies in applying new pressure on the Italians in Albania while in northeast Greece the high command announced: "Our efforts to hold the enemy lasted many hours, but finally he advanced dangerously close (the distance was believed about 20 miles) to Salonika, cutting off communications between eastern Macedonia and the rest of the Greek forces." Later advice said the Germans had entered Salonika and the German high command reported the eastern wing of the Greek army between that port and the Turkish border had been forced to surrender.

### TOO NEAR FOR PLANES

The Greek command did not disclose the size of the Greek force cut off in eastern Macedonia. British authorities, however, seemed signally unperturbed, merely calling attention to a British forecast some time ago that it might be necessary to abandon Salonika, harbor of prime importance in the first Great War, because of its proximity to Bulgarian airdromes from which Axis planes are operating. The Germans meanwhile have driven across southern Yugoslavia and have reached Skopje, impor-

### Coast Blasted

LONDON (CP)—British warplanes made a day-long series of offensive sweeps over the German-held Channel coast, the Air Ministry announced tonight.

### Hold Tobruk

LONDON (AP)—Lord Moyne, colonial secretary, and leader of the House of Lords, told the Upper Chamber today that the British forces in North Africa have "re-established themselves in force in the strong fortifications of Tobruk" in Eastern Libya.

### Japan Feels Pressure

TOKYO (AP)—Home Minister Kichiro Hiranuma told a conference of provincial governors today that Japan "faces increased economic pressure by the United States and Britain. We cannot tell when a new, serious crisis may develop in East Asia."

### Bishop to Tour

OTTAWA (CP)—The R.C.A.F. announced today that Air Marshal W. A. Bishop will leave soon for Los Angeles, where he will address a chamber of commerce meeting April 17. He will visit aircraft factories in the Los Angeles area during his stay and is expected to make several addresses to aircraft workers.

### Loan in June

OTTAWA (CP)—Finance Minister Isley in a statement released today said that while a new loan would be floated, probably in June, any publicity concerning the plan at this stage was "premature."

### Foreigners Need Permits

BUDAPEST (AP)—The Hungarian government announced that after today foreigners would not be allowed to leave Hungary without a police permit.

### Buried in Arlington

WASHINGTON (CP)—In the presence of many diplomatic and governmental leaders, the body of Lester B. Pearson, Canadian Minister to the United States who died yesterday in New York, was placed in the main receiving vault at Arlington National Cemetery here today.

Among those who attended the service were Leighton McCarthy, acting Canadian minister to the United States, and the staff of the Canadian Legation; Col. Henry Stimson, U.S. Secretary of State for War; Justice Felix Frankfurter, the U.S. Supreme Court; Pierpont Moffat, U.S. Minister to Canada, and Lord Halifax, British ambassador.

## The War Today

tant rail centre almost in the centre of the southern half of the country. The attack on Skopje was believed part of a scheme to cut Yugoslavia off from Greece and thus deprive her of British aid which normally would come through Greece.

### CONFUSION?

The sudden and adverse developments suggest some confusion in Greek-Jugoslavian-British operations, if nothing worse. Allied armies always labor under the handicap of divided councils. The loss of Skopje might be attributable to just that allied disadvantage.

### BRIGHTER SIDE

But there are still elements in the situation favorable to the British-Greek Allies and to Jugoslavian forces in the south not caught in a Nazi trap. A German march southward down the Vardar from Skopje would encounter serious natural obstacles. The "Iron Gate" of the Vardar lies 50 miles down river. It is a narrow 10-mile gorge through towering mountain country, easily defensible by far inferior forces. The 50 miles still separating the German forces reported in Skopje and the Italians in Albania is all mountain terrain.

# Churchill Warns Russia German Drive Headed East

By HAROLD FAIR

LONDON (CP)—The entry of German troops into Greece's back door port of Salonika was disclosed by Prime Minister Churchill today to a crowded House of Commons which also heard him warn Soviet Russia the Nazis probably soon would reach for the Ukrainian granaries and the Caucasian oilfields.

Mr. Churchill pictured the Nazi threat to Russia as part of a drive to amass tremendous resources for war to the death against the English-speaking world. It was a dramatic moment near the end of his speech when he turned to his right, looked up at the diplomatic gallery where Soviet Ambassador Maisky was

leaning over the rail, and declared:

"There are many signs that point to a Nazi attempt to secure the granaries of the Ukraine and the oilfields of the Caucasus."

### Hard Fighting Ahead in Egypt

In his first war review since December the Prime Minister spoke 50 minutes, telling of the shape being taken by the battles raging in the Balkans and Libya, coupled with the warning that "we must expect much hard and severe fighting, not only for the defence of Cyrenaica, but for the defence of Egypt." He revealed the capture of Cherch in Eritrea

had cost the British 4,000 casualties.

Except to cheer at the entry of Mr. Churchill and at his disclosures of encouraging points or his praise for the British fighting forces and their Allies, the House listened gravely while the Prime Minister capped his review with the warning:

### U.S. Turns Over 10 Coastguard Cutters

To aid this battle, the Prime Minister said the United States had handed over to Britain 10 speedy armed revenue cutters, and he also voiced an implied plea to the United States to take steps

to safeguard her war shipments to Britain.

At the same time he voiced hope that Erie would yet realize it is in her interest to make available her airfields and ports for British operations in the Atlantic.

The words of the Prime Minister were heard by J. W. Dulanty, Irish High Commissioner.

The immediate occasion of the Prime Minister's speech was a resolution of thanks to the armed forces.

Mr. Churchill also:

1. Announced British capture of the Eritrean port of Massawa and virtual completion of the conquest of Italian East Africa, which was loudly cheered.

2. Told France she would be blockaded strictly and that British guns would resist any Vichy attempt to transfer French naval vessels from Africa to metropolitan France where Hitler could get them.

3. Said the "heavy losses" due to German planes, submarines and cruisers would cripple the British merchant marine disastrously without the "gigantic United States building program" which would give Britain "several million tons" of shipping next year.

4. Announced that the Royal Air Force had grown to such an

extent that some raids on Germany had "exceeded in severity" anything the Germans had done in any single raid on England.

The Prime Minister said that before the Battle of Greece opened Gen. Sir John Dill, chief of the British Imperial General Staff; Gen. Sir Archibald Wavell, commander-in-chief in the Middle East, and the Greek commander, Gen. Papagos, advised their governments that a "sound military plan giving a good prospect of success could be made."

He added: "It remains to be seen how well these opposing risks and duties have been judged, but I am sure there is no less likely way of winning the war than to adhere pedantically to the maximum of safety first."

# Nazi Force Occupies Salonika, Allied Line Across N. Greece

Associated Press

Salonika fell to the Nazis today, and Greek forces cut off east of the fort, as far as the Turkish border, were reported by the Germans to have surrendered.

The German forces fighting westward over mountain terrain, were said to be within 15 miles of a junction with the Italian forces in Albania.

The Nazi advance to the big Aegean port, cut northeastern Greece in two, but there was no admission at Athens of a surrender of the troops east of there.

### British Whereabouts Still Kept Secret

British authorities said their mechanized expeditionary force still had not gone into action. Other German forces drove across Yugoslavia to occupy Skopje, rail town at the head of the Vardar Valley some 55 miles from the Bulgarian border, and swept on to launch fierce assaults on Katchanik Pass, 31 miles from the nearest Albanian point.

The Greeks disclosed communications with their troops fighting off German onslaughts on the Bulgarian frontier northeast of Salonika had been severed by the Nazi drive toward that port.

### British Forces On Second Line?

The British, profiting by their experience at Dunkerque, presumably were drawn up in a second line of defence southwest of Salonika.

The Greeks said the way for the German drive on Salonika had been paved by the retreat of the Yugoslav right wing, which enabled the Nazis to seize the town of Doiran near the junction of the Greek-Jugoslav-Bulgarian frontiers.

From that point, the Greeks declared, the Germans struck swiftly to the southeast, parallel to the Vardar River valley, overpowering by weight of numbers Greek forces which were able to do not more than fight a delaying action.

### Greeks Fight Stubbornly at Rupel

Although virtually cut off, Greek troops north of Salonika were reported to be still making a determined stand against frontal attacks by the Germans in the Rupel Pass and atop the Nevrokop Plateau.

The Greeks asserted they had retaken one fort in that area by a counterattack, had captured numerous Nazi parachutists and had smashed repeated German tank assaults.

The Germans reported they had captured numerous prisoners on this front, but made no claims of specific gains.

In general the German drive into Yugoslavia appeared to be following the main roads leading across the border.

A Nazi column reported to have captured Skopje followed a passable road, paved in places with brick, from the Bulgarian frontier town of Kustendil. The thrust toward Nish was along a similar road from Sofia.

The Yugoslavs were said to be attempting to block the German advance by mining highways and destroying bridges.

Jugoslav soldiers, after abandoning Skopje to the advancing Nazis, were fighting in the mountains northwest of the town, a Yugoslav communique said.

These forces hoped to prevent

the Germans from cutting the country in two. Despite "enormous losses," the Germans were said to have passed Skopje, some 55 miles inside Yugoslavia from Bulgaria, to attack Katchanik Pass, 31 miles from the Albanian frontier.

Stubborn Yugoslav resistance was reported also in the vicinity of Caribrod, and Yugoslav planes were said to have inflicted heavy losses on the Nazis.

Caribrod is southwest of Nish, only a few miles from the Bulgarian frontier.

Jugoslav Gains North of Tirana

On the western front, Yugoslav troops reported striking into Albania and one drive was said to have carried across the Drina River into Central Albania north of the capital of Tirana.

"Small battles of local character" were reported along Yugoslavia's northern frontier.

Belgrade was reported bombed Monday and Tuesday, in addition to air attacks on Skopje, Kragujevac, Chabats and Lazarevac.

The communique said the bombings caused enormous damage and killed civilians. "Several dozens" of attacking planes were reported shot down.

The Yugoslav government announced that Belgrade, which was declared an open city before the German invasion, had been turned into a mass of debris by German bombers, "its streets filled with the bodies of dead women, children and old men."

### Serbs Hurl Thrusts Back Twice

Two correspondents who crossed the Yugoslav-Greek frontier ahead of a German division driving down the Vardar Valley toward Salonika declared Serbian troops hurled the Nazi Panzer attacks back twice before falling back before the onslaught.

"When we neared the border, a Yugoslav troop train sped past, and we learned the Germans had broken through," one said. "But when we reached the frontier we learned reserves which just arrived had plugged the gap in the lines, smashing the Germans back into Bulgaria."

"Once again, the Germans broke through another spot only to be driven back, but the third time the break through succeeded."

One correspondent said the break was made with tactics like those last spring at Sedan, when the Germans pierced the French line.

He said a small number of tanks first penetrated the Yugoslav line, followed by a flood of armored cars and trucks packed with soldiers.

The newspapermen said the Germans concentrated the full striking power of their air force on railroads in Yugoslavia during the first two days of the fighting, bombing every station from Skopje to the Greek frontier.

Flat lands and good roads of the Vardar Valley, which the Germans took after a surprise dash across southeastern Yugoslavia, enabled them to proceed at

considerable speed after dawn toward Salonika.

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WHERE ENEMY DRIVE LEADS TO MAJOR BATTLE WITH BRITISH AND GREEKS—Developments indicate a last-ditch defence of Salonika was no part of Allied strategy. The British veterans of Wavell's army and Greek forces are believed standing shoulder to shoulder on a line from the Albanian border to a point on the coast southwest of that port. Any attempt of the Germans to drive into the Greek Peninsula will be met by the Allies there.

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A Royal Air Force communique said "in spite of most unfavorable weather conditions yesterday, R.A.F. bomber formations attacked with success throughout the day German motor transport and tank columns in the Strumica area of southern Yugoslavia."

The German high command in Berlin made the claim that after smashing their way down the Vardar River valley to Salonika the German troops had forced the surrender of the eastern wing of the Greek army between Salonika and the Turkish border.

Other German forces have taken Skopje and Veles, Yugoslavia, and are advancing toward the Albanian border to attempt a juncture with Italian forces there, it was claimed.

The high command also said Nazi troops had broken through the Xanthi, a town about 30 miles northwest of the port of Kavala in northeastern Greece.

Germans Claim 20,000 Prisoners

Nazi troops also claimed Nish railway town in Yugoslavia. On the northern front, the high command said, Maribor has been taken and the River Drava crossed.

To the south, the war bulletin said, German troops drove past Lake Doiran, in southeastern

Jugoslavia, and into Greek territory, and claimed 20,000 prisoners, including six generals.

Mountain and infantry divisions under Field Marshal Sigmund List, supported by dive bombers, were credited with the breakthrough into Yugoslavia and Greece. They claimed to have broken the fortified Metaxas line in northern Greece.

In Rome the Italian high command claimed Fascist troops had occupied Kranj, in the extreme northwest tip of Yugoslavia at the junction of the Italian and German frontiers.

The town, situated on a railroad, is about 10 miles east of the Italian border.

Italian bombing planes were reported to have attacked warships and seaplanes in the Yugoslav harbor of Sibenik, about 200 miles south of Kranj, and to have damaged barracks and motor truck concentrations ashore.

### British Torpedo 2 Big Axis Ships

LONDON (CP)—The Admiralty tonight announced a British submarine had torpedoed a 12,000-ton ship and a 6,000-ton vessel in an attack on a heavily-laden Axis convoy in the central Mediterranean.



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## British Now Hold Massawa

CAIRO (AP) — British troops have occupied Massawa, chief seaport of Eritrea, virtually completing the conquest of Italian East Africa, the Middle East command announced today.

The Italian defenders of the Red Sea port capitulated yesterday, a communique said, and the Imperial forces quickly moved in.

With the fall of Massawa, the Italians have been routed from all their main bases along the Red Sea and Indian Ocean coasts.

Today's communique said that pursuit of retreating Italian forces in Ethiopia "is being maintained."

## Big Battleship Ready

NEW YORK (AP) — The first battleship commissioned by the United States navy in 18 years took its place as a "ship of the line" today in sober but colorful ceremonies aboard the new 35,000-ton North Carolina at the Brooklyn Navy Yard.

## U.S. PROHIBITION SPONSOR DEAD

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senator Morris Sheppard of Texas, dean of Congress in point of service and sponsor of the national prohibition amendment, died today. He would have been 66 years old next month.

Sheppard was fired in early youth with a desire to crusade against intoxicants.

The proud holder of the sobriquet, "Father of the Eighteenth Amendment," traced this desire to his boyhood days in Wheatville, a hamlet of the sandy Texas hills where, he said, saloons were

so abundant that "every Saturday was a shambles."

As a representative and later as a senator, he was destined to lead in many legislative battles. He was a stalwart in the fight for woman's suffrage, and his was the co-authorship of maternity and infancy legislation that for seven years gave federal aid to states to cut down the mortality of births.

His imposing tenure of office in the house and senate 39 years brought him few personal enemies. His popularity at home was grounded deep in service to his constituents, which he gave without stint.

The City Hall will close tomorrow evening until Tuesday for the usual Easter vacation.

## Munitions Dept. \$1,500,000,000

OTTAWA (CP) — The Munitions and Supply Department today celebrated its first birthday and its orders, placed for the Canadian and British governments, now have reached \$1,500,000,000.

"Purchases are growing so rapidly they are soon expected to reach \$5,000,000 a day," the department said in a "birthday review" of operations.

Some 1,600 men and women are responsible for department operations under Munitions Minister Howe.

In two recent consecutive weeks, Canadian airplane factories produced more than 40 planes per week. Since the beginning of the war some 1,300 aircraft have been built in Canada, and several hundred imported planes have been assembled.

The shipbuilding program, involving an expenditure of upwards of \$120,000,000, is summarized as follows: Corvettes, 80 ordered, 47 launched; minesweepers, 60 ordered, 15 launched; auxiliary cruisers, 3 ordered and delivered; vessels converted to naval use, 27 ordered and delivered; also ordered are 24 patrol boats, 12 special minesweepers and 20 cargo ships; deliveries are being made constantly under the \$6,000,000 small-boat program, which includes the construction of hundreds of craft ranging from pulling boats to fast torpedo boats. A total of 190,000 motor vehicles have been ordered by Canada and other Empire countries and more than 100,000 have been delivered.

## Germans Claim Iraq Fighting

NEW YORK (AP) — The German radio broadcast today what it termed a report from Baghdad that "fighting has broken out between British air units in Iraq and Iraq army units."

## Premier Delays Trip

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister Mackenzie King said this afternoon he had decided to postpone his scheduled departure for the United States for a few days.

He had planned to leave Ottawa this afternoon to visit President Roosevelt, but the gravity of the war news prompted him to wait until later. He announced his plans at a press conference at which he stressed the fact that he had no "inside information."

What appeared in the evening papers was sufficient to convince him he would prefer to remain in Ottawa at the moment, Mr. King said.

His original plans included a brief rest in the south, probably Georgia.

## Change of Duties

LONDON (CP) — Prime Minister Churchill, when telling the House of Commons today the United States is sending Britain 10 coastguard cutters to be used against Nazi submarines, drew laughter and cheers when he commented: "These vessels originally were designed to enforce prohibition, and will now serve an even higher purpose."

He described the craft as "fast vessels of about 2,000 tons' displacement with fine armament and a wide range of endurance," saying they would soon be in action.

## Jobless Insurance

OTTAWA (CP) — Arrangements have been made for the printing of 80,000,000 stamps required for the first year of operation of the Unemployment Insurance scheme, A. MacNamara, acting chairman of the commission, said today. The act will be brought into force in the coming summer, but no exact date could yet be announced, Mr. MacNamara said.

## Eggs Off 2 Cents

VANCOUVER (CP) — Egg prices dropped two cents a dozen here today when the British Government offered to pay only 11s per 10 dozen on its current order placed in Canada. The price is the lowest figure yet received.

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**TOMATO JUICE** Sunny Dawn, 26-oz. tins. 2 for 19c  
**SAUSAGE** Swift's, 12-oz. tins. each 19c  
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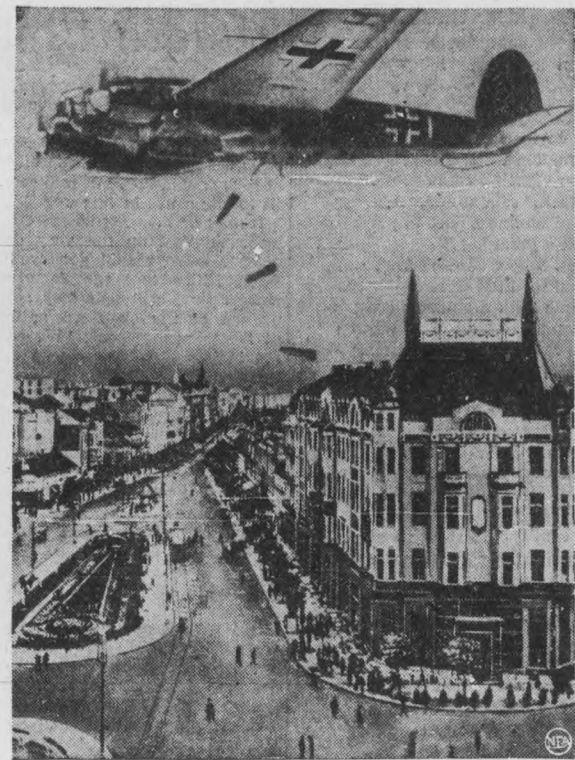
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**BOMB OPEN CITY**—Composite photo, above, shows how deadly Stuka bombers sent destruction hurtling down on Belgrade, Yugoslav capital, which had been declared an open city, not to be defended. Following pattern set in invasion of Poland and repeated in Holland, Belgium and France, the crash of the Stukas' bombs sounded blitzkrieg overture.

## Letters to the Editor

### MISMANAGEMENT

There is estimated to be 850,000,000 bushels of wheat in Canadian storage. This being the case, how is it cost of bread is not lowered, and people on relief (so called), and at inadequate employment, are not provided better wages, and more employment, to help buy some of this surplus, and so improve their standard of living? The real capital of food staples, and the labor same represents, is held in storage. Under our present system of government management people are put out of employment, and obliged to either starve, or break the law, with crime against crime. Also in the midst of thousands of acres of fertile land, people have no homes or assets, because selfish business has sold them out, and through a monopoly, is now scuttling the ship of Canadian democracy.

Every way we look, we find in the midst of plenty people starve. Why don't prosperous or more fortunate people, for their own security, come to the rescue, and help the needy who have come upon misfortune through no fault of their own, but as a result of political selfishness and government mismanagement over which they have no direct power of control. We who study economics know the answer, but do those in responsible authority? Where is democracy, and why do those who call themselves democrats, allow these self-destructive inefficiencies to happen?

Too, this vast country of Canada should be organized to assist the battle-scarred people of the British Isles, in taking care of their valuable animals and other assets. They are calling for aid and proof of our loyalty, in this hour of peril and dire need. Some answer the request, while our government parties buck one another in rivaling prejudices, and political self-interests, and do nothing but sit back and allow individual enterprises to commit exploitative injustices against the welfare, progress and happiness of the rest of society.

I advocate the rescue of some of the valuable breeding strains of stock and seed, and putting to work of young and elderly people, not of military age, thereby making way for more soldiers.

HAROLD H. THORNTON,  
St. Helens Apts., 828 Courtney St., Victoria.

### PERFECT

Let me, through your columns, congratulate His Majesty's government of the province of British Columbia upon the success of the recent public reception at the Parliament Buildings, made possible on behalf of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of Canada and H.R.H. Princess Alice.

It seemed to me the arrangements were perfect, and I have never sensed the people so happy.

ALAN GREIG.

### ENLISTS, LOSES JOB

According to recent news stories, recruiting for the army has not been up to expectation. Some people have been wondering why there is lack of enthusiasm on the part of employed young men to join the army. I suggest the following from a letter addressed to me, a superintendent of one of the large corporations of Canada, for which I have been working, may hold one explanation:

"Referring to your letter, I regret very much to inform you that our service is not in a position to grant you leave of absence owing to the fact that we have had to cease allowing such leave (to enlist in the C.A.S.F.) on account of so many of our employees leaving the service to enlist. Under the circumstances your record will have to be closed. You did not inform me at the time you intended enlisting of that fact, and had you done so I would have then informed you that as your services would have been required this spring, leave of absence would not be granted you. I shall therefore be pleased if you will kindly sign the resignation in duplicate which accompanied my letter."

I do not worry about a job after the war because my trade is a specialty and my services are always in demand. However, there are many men who are concerned about getting their jobs back, and they hesitate to enlist unless they have assurance. Nearly all employers guarantee their jobs back to the boys who go to fight for us all, but it is time the public knew one Canadian company is an exception.

F. L. HAYWARD, K-73142,  
Bay Street Armouries, Victoria.

### MAUNDY THURSDAY

The day before Good Friday is known as Maundy Thursday and has been marked from an early age of the church by works of humility in imitation of that of Christ in washing the feet of His disciples on the eve of the Crucifixion. In olden days it was looked upon as a day of charity, when food in baskets or manna (as they were then called) was distributed to the poor, and came to be called Maundy Thursday. In the Catholic countries of Europe the day is known as Holy Thursday, while in parts of England it is called Shrove Friday, from the old custom of shaving the head which the priests used to observe.

### THE WASHING OF FEET

We read that Cardinal Wolsey at Peterborough Cathedral "made his maund in Our Lady's Chapel, having 59 poor men, whose feet he washed and kissed, and gave each of the said poor men, whose feet he washed and kissed, and gave each of the said poor men twelvepence, canvas for shirts, a pair of new shoes and a cast of red herrings."

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## Excess Profits Tax Regulations Amended

OTTAWA (CP)—Finance Minister Ilsley described as "wholly reprehensible" the practice of business firms incurring unjustifiable expenditures, knowing that most of the burden would fall on the government because of the 75 per cent excess profits tax.

He told the Commons the main principles of the excess profits tax will be retained and will operate with their anticipated severity on all persons making abnormal war profits. He announced proposed amendments designed to remove "inequities and normalities."

His statement was designed to

remove uncertainties on the part of taxpayers who were required to make returns and pay taxes this month.

The amendments, when enacted in connection with the budget, will be retroactive.

One change involves definition of standard profits and the standard period for computing profits. It permits computation of profits on the basis of the fiscal year of the taxpayer corresponding to the four calendar years from 1936 to 1939.

Another change will allow profits to be computed from the actual date of the start of business rather than the legal date.

This meets the case of a company incorporated on a certain date but which did not get into business until some time after.

Another change gives the taxpayer the right to choose certain of his best years for the standard period if his profits in one of the years of the standard period were abnormally low.

In no case will standard profits be less than \$5,000 under another proposed amendment. This amendment, Mr. Ilsley said, will have little effect on revenues received but will do away with the necessity of dealing with appeals from a large number of small taxpayers.

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## Mysterious Ship

SAN PEDRO, Calif. (AP)—Capt. Cornelio Noquin of the Philippine passenger and cargo ship Dona Aniceta reported on arrival here the presence of a speedy freighter in Mexican water which refused to answer radio messages or respond to warning whistles.

Joaquin said the craft was sighted at 9 p.m., April 2, about 1,100 miles south, off Acapulco. It cut across the Dona Aniceta's bow, refused to identify itself, then disappeared. It flew no flag, he declared, adding: "When I put my night glasses on the vessel, I saw it was apparently a freighter, but traveling low in the water and at a much faster speed than usual for such vessels."

He estimated its tonnage at 3,000. Some of the 12 passengers expressed the view it was a supply ship for Pacific raiders of a belligerent power.

## Newspaper Column Draws Objection

REGINA (CP)—The writer of "On the Banks of the Wascana," a column of comment on the proceedings of the Saskatchewan Legislature, appearing in the Saskatoon Star-Phoenix, was the subject of discussion in the Legislature.

Premier Patterson objected to the use in the column of the term "the greatest nuisance," where it referred to Norman McLeod, Liberal, member for Souris-Estevan, and to R. M. Pinder, Liberal, Saskatoon.

Speaker Charles A. Agar expressed his displeasure, and said he would see it did not occur again.

Premier Patterson said freedom of the press, of expression and of association, were liberties which were still being enjoyed with slight restrictions due to the war, but in this instance it appeared to be extreme license and not freedom.

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## These Early Victories

FOUR DAYS OF THE NEW CONFLICT have brought Germany initial victories of which totalitarian propagandists will make much. They will present a fresh crop of difficulties to the Allies. Nor is there anything really surprising in these startling developments when all the circumstances are taken into full account. The greatest military organization the world has ever seen had prepared itself to strike if and when the occasion demanded. Neither Hitler nor his high command relished the idea of opening a new and active front. Nazi diplomacy had resorted to every art and wile to avoid a clash in the Balkans. And until Yugoslavia "found its soul" and overthrew its Axis-persecuted government it looked as if the divide-and-rule policy had scored another "collaborative" triumph. But General Dusan Simovic administered a severe diplomatic and strategic defeat to the men of Berlin—the military situation as it presents itself today notwithstanding. His coup d'état last Thursday week staggered the chief apostle of totalitarianism more than the world will learn for some time to come. He had not schemed for this type of rebuff; he had allotted no place for it on his aggressive agenda. Hitler nevertheless had the men and the equipment which enabled him to readjust his plans to cope with the unwelcome situation.

From the purely military standpoint, therefore, the battle lines being drawn as this is written may not furnish much food for pleasant mental contemplation. German troops are in Salonika; the Greek army has been divided; some of the valiant men under General Papagos are reported interned in Turkey, unable to render any further service to their country; the Vardar and the Struma valleys evidently have been negotiated by the Nazi hordes and their mechanized equipment, aided by a prodigious use of aircraft, with relatively greater ease than was expected by those who had counted on physical difficulties to delay the German advance for many days and probably halt it before a great deal of damage could be done. But in the general progress of the four-day campaign the worst development—an immensely important one—is the speed with which the enemy has established himself in apparently vital areas. London is as disappointed as Athens and Belgrade. Yet in all the speculation in which even the experts have indulged since the new Yugoslav government gave its deft to Berlin a prominent place had been given to the suggestion that the sheer weight of Hitler's mechanized army—aided by his much-vaunted air force comprised of everything in abundance from the aerial arsenal—bespoke early victories. These have been won. But in their achievement the element of surprise was absent from its essential particular: The Allies knew from whence the attack would come, the form it would take, even though, as we have already said, they anticipated and hoped it would have required longer to transform the whole scene.

Perhaps Hitler and his cohorts are less pleased than the Allies are annoyed at this speedy change in the course of events. The German high command knows that the British army has yet to be reckoned with—a British army with many months of experience in Libya and in East Africa, an army equipped with the last word in mechanized tools, and with an air force equal to anything Goering's Luftwaffe can stage in this or any other theatre of war. Not that the Germans had been under any illusion on this point. But it is a condition, not a theory; and Hitler also is fully aware of the fact that in the matter of supplies to maintain this army, to increase its physical size, the Royal Navy is still in command of the Mediterranean; moreover, now the Red Sea port of Massawa has fallen into British hands, the whole of the Indian Ocean is safe for the transport of men and materials from the wide world by way of the Suez Canal. Mention of this vital link in Britain's lifeline to India, by the way, emphasizes speculation on Germany's designs, if any, toward Turkey and Russia. It takes the mind back to the western end of the Mediterranean—to possible Nazi plans for Gibraltar, with or without "collaboration" by Vichy. So do the early victories which Germany has undoubtedly scored in the Balkans open up an unpredictable scene on which only developments of the next few days, or weeks, will shed light. In the meantime, however, it will be well to remember for our peace of mind's sake that conditions are altogether different from those we met when Germany started the world by invading Denmark and Norway a year ago this morning.

## Turkey Watching?

WHEN HE SPOKE AT NOTTINGHAM last Sunday, Mr. Herbert Morrison, Minister of Home Security, said he hoped Turkey would realize "this is a moment of decision, when the security of the Balkans is involved." On the face of it, the statement is a simple one, and, to the casual student of platitudes, has no more significance than an observation about the weather or the price of a sack of potatoes. But it was made by a member of Mr. Churchill's cabinet, a colleague of the Foreign Secretary, Rt. Hon. Anthony Eden, who is now in the Near East

and has been in close consultation with Turkish statesmen and other public leaders in the Balkan countries during the weeks preceding Germany's latest invasion.

Perhaps the Minister's observations were part of the plan to keep Germany guessing as to the nature of the understanding between Ankara and Westminster. It is being argued that if the Nazi oligarchy remains in suspense on this point it will continue to divert troops and equipment to the Bulgarian-Turkish frontier instead of to those parts of the new battle front where additional weight at this juncture might add considerably to the problem already confronting the three Allies. What point there could be in this argument, if any, we are not told. Willy Nazi Ambassador Franz von Papen at the Turkish capital may not know everything that has gone on or is going on in government circles. But he has probably a fairly good idea of what Germany's ally in the first Great War would do in this conflict under almost any given set of circumstances. Which prompts the inference, of course, that Mr. Morrison is much better informed on the same point and spoke his part at Nottingham with a commendable display of innocence. On the other hand, if the Minister was really serious—and when we question it we do not mean to be flippant—it would be difficult to reconcile such an implied expression of doubt as to Turkey's course with the cordial pro-British attitude of the semi-official newspapers of Ankara and Istanbul, and the friendly understanding assumed to have been reached with Premier Refik Saydam.

Nothing that has happened since last Sunday, however, has changed the Turkish position so far as the outside world has learned. The government at Ankara has made it abundantly plain that Turkey will continue to maintain political neutrality and defend her territory at all costs if it is attacked. Whether she could better serve her own as well as the Allied cause by an open declaration of war on Germany and Bulgaria without delay is a matter for the strategist. The initiative is not likely to come from Germany unless an unexpected turn of events should so determine; but so long as Turkey bars the way to the east and its prize of oil supplies, so long will Hitler have to wait for any substantial fruits from his second front.

## More Help From U.S.

FROM LONDON AND WASHINGTON TODAY comes the news that 10 United States coastguard cutters are being turned over to Great Britain for anti-submarine work. While these craft are not especially speedy or heavily armed, they are of modern construction—between 1928 and 1932—and are of a tonnage about equal to that of the over-age destroyers exchanged last year for British bases in the Atlantic. They are sturdy vessels and it is suggested that before they are assigned to duty more gun power will be added to them—either on this side of the Atlantic or in British yards.

Whether this new and practical manifestation of further aid to Britain may be taken as an indication that, as the "Battle of the Atlantic" progresses in intensity, other craft will be placed at the disposal of the Royal Navy we are naturally not permitted to know. What is clear, however, is that our friendly neighbor is more than ever seized of the importance of making quite sure that shipments of all supplies from the United States to the island fortress shall have as much protection from submarines and bombing raiders as it is possible to give under the terms of the "Lend-Lease" law. Recent statistics announced from London prove conclusively that Nazi underwater and aerial craft are extending their operations over Britain's lifeline from the Americas. As climatic conditions improve, as the flow of food and war supplies from Canada and the United States is accelerated, so will the enemy expand its attack. But German boasts that American material will arrive too late will be met with a stronger determination on the part of our neighbor to make good Mr. Roosevelt's promise. This latest announcement is encouraging news.

## Notes

From Southern California, now the land of the big rains, comes the story of a well-known producer who fished three scenarios and a trout from the mail box.

Rising birthrates are a phenomenon of war times. Nature is out to replace the human losses. Vital statistics now complete for third quarter of 1940 show a jump in Canada's birthrate to 22.0 per thousand population from a rate of 20.8 for the third quarter of 1939. The marriage rate rose from 11.6 to 15.5. Both rates have been rising steadily since.

## CANADA'S BILLION IN U.S.

From Financial Post  
This country's foreign investments are not very large. Statistics show that we have \$1,000,000,000 invested in the United States. This looks like a lot. Actually the amount that we could raise if we were to take over all American holdings of our citizens and all American branch plants of our industries and turn them into cash, would be only a small fraction of that sum.

Canada needs the stabilizing strength of these investments; and will need it more in the postwar reconstruction. One dollar in three of our national income is rooted in foreign trading. We need some reserves of American dollars to see us through the ups and downs of this trade.

We owe \$4,000,000,000 to American investors. We need cash reserves abroad to help us maintain service on these debts.

American, as well as Canadian financial authorities, agree that it would be a tragedy if this country had to strip itself naked of American securities before Washington offered us the protecting cloak of Lend-Lease.

## MEDITERRANEAN MATHEMATICS

It is reported that Signor Mussolini is suffering from a nervous breakdown.  
—News Dispatch.

Musso said: "My next foray I'll handle in the modern way: A short equation I will choose To prove to myself I cannot lose. I'll call myself," said Musso, "A. For I've the foremost part to play; Add to that a great big B— The implied might of Germany; C will stand for little Greece— A puny lamb with a golden fleece; One more factor—there, I've written D to stand for (bad word) Britain."

"It is—before A starts to move Versus C—required to prove: That A and B together are Greater than C and D by far. Now. B inversely varies as D—which B already has Licked (or so says Honest Joe Goebbels, who should surely know). With D ignominiously cast aside The problem has been simplified. We have now the figure A B C Which can be solved geometrically; For in any triangle, I have heard, Two sides are greater than the third. Which simply means that A and B Can soon get rid of little C. In any triangle reduce one Side: the other two become Eventually sides of equal length. That is, A and B are of equal strength! Good Heavens! None can now deny That a terribly war-like chap am I. So sound the clarion, beat the drum, Veni, vidi, here I come!"

"O lack-a-day! O woe! O woe! Preserve me from an ignorant foe! The Greeks are crude and rude fanatics Who thumb their nose at mathematics; And put their faith in simple fistics Instead of accepting my statistics. And Britain, too, breaks every rule Of the Axis' mathematical school. Prove odds against her at ten to one 'My, my!' they say, 'That's lots of fun.' 'Two and two,' you say, 'is four.' 'Pardon,' they say, 'we learned before If one of the two is Italy Two and two is half of three. It comes,' they say, with a gentle laugh, 'To approximately one and a half.'"

"It isn't right! There is no rule For arguing with a blasted fool. Can you wonder I'm back from my Grecian shakedown With the very worst of a nervous breakdown?"  
S. D. H.

## SUN BEAMS

Bill Noakes in Brandon Sun

Most of us sympathize with the poor and try to help the rich.

And you have to work with opportunities to make work.

Oh, yes, we stay at home at night looking at the pretty pictures in the wife's seed catalogue.

We were very unlucky. When young whenever we found a kid we could lick the family moved from the neighborhood.

Somewhat we seem to feel the Far East is not as far as it once was.

Moscow citizens average about one bath in every 18 months. It is things like that which attract young boys to Communism.

We like that radio announcer who always sounds as if he had just got up from a big meal.

Generally speaking, spring has a lot to live up to.

Old fashioned people used to sit up all night listening to police radio calls.

It will be a bold orator who can unquote Churchill.

After all a spat that is put away to be used the following season just naturally stays put.

## TO OUR NAVY

O gallant band of brave men Dressed in navy blue Who slip to sea in the cold grey dawn To keep all safe for me and you.

Their task is hard and their task is grim For they seek a deadly foe Where they go or how they fare Is not for us to know.

But our thoughts are always with them And our prayers will answered be As with grateful hearts we greet them When they come home from sea.

—DOROTHY WHYTE.

1620 Belmont Ave.

## PAINFUL

From Woodstock Sentinel-Review

A London constable, we read, was shot in the fracas, which is probably as painful as being stabbed in the melee or struck in the face. Still more distressing, we read that a doctor has been fined over a dispute with a waitress, who received a kick in the alteration.

Parallel Thoughts  
And ye shall observe to do all the statutes and judgments which I set before you this day.—Deuteronomy 11:32.

Obedience decks the Christian most.—Schiller.

# Elmore Philpott

## ARE JAPANESE FOOLS?

UNLESS the Japanese have become greater fools than they have ever shown themselves to be in the past, Matsuoka's visit to Europe should prove of real benefit to our cause in this war. It may or may not be mere coincidence that on the very day when Matsuoka said goodbye to Adolf Hitler that the Japanese newspaper Nohchi pointedly complained of the one-sided nature of the tri-partite pact: "We cannot blindly chant hymns to the three-power pact while the Soviet Union still menaces the fear of Japan," while Germany has concluded a nonaggression pact and economic agreement with Russia."

Matsuoka must have seen with his own eyes proof of the unhappy fate which awaits junior partners in Hitler's so-called Axis. Italy, already stripped of her empire, with her armies defeated on every front, with the remnants of her fleet forced to hide in port or face further disaster—Italy is nothing more than the servant of Germany. Nothing but the presence in Italy of 18 German army divisions prevents the Italian people from throwing out the leaders who led them to the slaughter, and asking for an honorable peace.

The position of Japan can never be quite the same as that of Italy, if for no other reason than that of geography. But the astute Japanese cannot conceivably be so short-sighted as not to see through Hitler.

## JAPANESE DILEMMA

The Japanese are now well aware that they cannot attempt any further southward aggression without coming into direct conflict with the combined Far Eastern forces of Britain, the United States, and the Netherlands. Their only hope of making large gains in that direction is if Hitler should win in Europe. In other words only if Hitler were able to knock out the British Empire by a blow to the heart, by invasion, or by cutting the North Atlantic life line—only in that case would the Japanese really be able to undertake a really major offensive.

## LION'S SHARE FOR ONTARIO

From Winnipeg Free Press  
Ontario profits more than all the other provinces put together because it benefits directly from the fact that the war expenditures in that province are far beyond those in any other Canadian area; and also because as the result of the industrial and financial structure, which has been built up in the 70 years of Confederation, Ontario, in a thousand indirect ways, dips into pools of prosperity as they develop in the other provinces. Commenting upon the windfall that has come to Ontario, Toronto Saturday Night says:

"It was brought about entirely by huge armament and military supply orders by the Dominion government, at prices determined in a seller's market—and this is the main point—including a generous allowance for the provincial Corporation Tax as an element of cost. The provincial government is taxing the Dominion many millions of dollars on the Dominion's war business, and is taxing it for the raising of revenue which the province does not need and for which it did not budget."

"This year's Ontario surplus is the proceeds of a tax on the Bren guns, airplanes, corvettes, battle rammers and armored cars with which the Dominion, not Ontario, is defending civilization. The most logical thing to do with the provincial surplus would be to hand it over to the Minister of Finance, or at least to invest it in War Savings Certificates for the time being."

The people of Canada as a whole initiate policies involving vast expenditures and a huge burden of taxation; against this as a partial set-off there would be, if our system of taxation was properly adjusted, the increased taxable capacity created by these expenditures. But as things are, the provinces get this advantage; and as between them it is not and it cannot be equally distributed. The lion's share goes to Ontario; and some of the largesse is being distributed among people in that province engaged in particular occupations, thus giving them returns beyond those in other provinces engaged in the same activities. To Canadians who have any understanding of the friction and dissension which result from this imbalance in our national structure, the situation is one that calls loudly for adjustment—and with no undue delay.

If Christianity is satisfied to remain merely a spectator of the world's tragedy, it will lose its own soul.—Rev. Dr. John Sutherland Bonnell.

If war nerves have you down . . . keep active physically. . . War nerves have mobilized your body for action. Act!—Prof. Harvey W. Zorbaugh, New York University.

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## CHANCE FOR HAW HAW

From London New Statesman  
One backer only named the winning combination of the names until the speakers were firmly convinced that they would have selected them if they had been at Plumpton. Lord Haw can talk his present stuff daily double—Alacrity and San-trick at Plumpton, receiving £510 until he is blue in the face, but if he gave three winners in succession people would switch off papers and millions of English hearts beat the faster for it, him.

## 51 BOMB HOLES

A Correspondent in Southeastern England writes to the Banffshire Journal  
Jerry has almost forgotten these parts lately. Well, that is hardly true, because some of our coast towns receive numerous visitations, but the volume of his coming has fairly slowed down. True, we hear the hum of his engines at night over us at times, but he has stopped the wholesale throwing down of bombs in our fields, which, in his haste to escape, he planked down in scores. A farmer was telling me he had 51 such holes on his 200-acre farm to deal with, remarking that it just took a man a week to fill one in. Be thankful you haven't that work to contend with.

Few people in country districts are using their Anderson shelters, but they are there if need be.

BOILED, FRIED, SCRAMBLED  
From Toronto Star  
Five hundred dozen eggs were received as subscription payments by the Kamloops (B.C.) Sentinel, and guess what ye ed will have for breakfast, dinner and supper for the next 30 months.

Better English  
By D. C. WILLIAMS  
1. What is wrong with this sentence? "This is plenty good enough."  
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "exuberance"?  
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Occurrence, concurrence, temperance.  
4. What does the word "gar-rulity" mean?  
5. What is a word beginning with gra that means "use of lofty language"?  
Answers  
1. Omit plenty. 2. Pronounce egg-zu-ber-ans, u as in cube, and not eks-oo-ber-ans. 3. Occurrence. 4. Talkativeness. (Pronounce the u as in rule). "His gar-rulity was tiresome to his listeners." 5. Grandiloquence.

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## Empire Conference in War

## Of Inestimable Value Says Sir H. d'Egville

"During war, the interchange of views and supply of information is more important than in peace times," said Sir Howard d'Egville, of London, secretary of the Empire Parliamentary Association, discussing the possibility of holding an Empire Parliamentary Conference in New Zealand either this or next year.

Sir Howard reached the city Monday and yesterday met members of the provincial government, the Speaker of the Legislature and the leader of the opposition.

He spoke at a private luncheon at the Empress Hotel yesterday, at which members of the government attended.

Last evening he will address the local branch of the Canadian Institute of International Affairs. "The parliamentary conference held in London in 1916, at which all the Dominion parliaments were represented, was of inestimable value," said Sir Howard this morning.

The parliamentary conference, he explained, provided a valuable preliminary exploratory ground to ascertain the points of view of representative men of all parties on matters of common interest to the countries of the Empire.

New Zealand, said Sir Howard, extended an invitation to the Em-

pire Parliamentary Association to hold a conference at Wellington last year, but parliaments accepting the invitation, but owing to war developments it failed to materialize.

## ON SMALLER SCALE

"Now, if conditions permit, I should not be surprised if the New Zealand branch expressed a desire to hold the conference either this or next year, but in that event it would not be on the same scale as previous conferences."

Sir Howard, who has been in Canada last August, has been doing a lot of talking on both sides of the international boundary, attempting to give an objective view of the work of the Empire.

He was asked by some of his friends in the United States Senate to visit that country and speak at various universities. In speaking on the British Empire and what it stands for, Sir Howard said he had found in the United States a great amount of interest in the British Empire and its government.

"I found in the United States universities a great desire for information of this character," he said. "The keenness of Americans in all that pertains to the British Empire, its structure and political and social significance has, within recent months, in-

creased enormously."

## CANADIAN VIEWPOINT

During the course of his extended tour, Sir Howard has come to know the Canadians very well and the views he has obtained on the Canadian war outlook is interesting.

"I find," he said, "Canadians realize that everything the Canadian nation represents is at stake and there is evident in every sphere of activity a determination to strain every effort to achieve victory, but there is a growing feeling that before this is attained increased effort will be necessary."

The Dominion and provincial Parliaments of Canada are closely allied to the Empire Parliamentary Association by organized branches of which the Speakers of the provincial Legislatures are presiding officers. Premiers and leaders are embraced in the association's membership.

While in Edmonton, Sir Howard talked things over with members of the Social Credit government of Alberta.

"While Alberta has not actually joined as a Parliament, I have every reason to believe it will," he said. The Social Credit group of Ottawa belongs to the organization.

The last Empire parliamentary conference was held in London in 1937 and the last in Canada in 1928.

## SUNRISE SERVICE PLANS COMPLETED

All money taken in the collection boxes at the Easter sunrise service on Mount Tolmie next Sunday morning will be turned over to the Lord Mayor's Fund, it was decided at a meeting of the Victorian Ministerial Association in the Y.W.C.A. Monday.

The president, Rev. G. A. Reynolds, was in the chair. Final arrangements for the early morning service were discussed.

Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson addressed the meeting on "The Present Position of the Ecumenical Conferences of Edinburgh and Oxford."

These gatherings, he said, had been founded by the World Council of Churches. Meetings were planned every five years if practicable.

Dr. Wilson said the council stood as a witness to the belief that spiritual forces were more powerful than the might of wicked men.

It issued an international paper and kept in touch with Christians in conquered nations. It organized a universal chaplaincy to the more than 2,000,000 prisoners in concentration camps throughout the world.

"When the war is over the council will be the voice of Protestantism," Dr. Wilson said.

## Easter Address at Kiwanis Luncheon

Easter is the keystone of Christianity, said Rev. G. Biddle at the weekly luncheon of the Kiwanis Club at the Empress Hotel yesterday. This was the first luncheon in the last few years which the wives of Kiwanians attended as guests.

Mr. Biddle, in his short talk, mentioned that the origin of Easter was lost in antiquity, but that it was accepted in the early Christian churches as the great festival it is known as today. In reference to the changing dates of Easter he said that it was regulated by the Jewish calendar, this calendar being decided by the rise of the full moon each year.

The Christ Church Cathedral boys' choir, under the direction of Stanley Bulley, rendered four numbers. These were: "Now That the Sun Hath Failed His Light," "Pilgrim's Song," "And Did Those Feet In Ancient Time," and "I Vow to Thee, My Country." Miss Isabelle Brown gave two monologues, "Abou Ben Adhem," and "The Legend Beautiful."

## No Charge for Forces

Men of the forces in uniform will be admitted without charge to Butchart's Gardens at Tod Inlet, administrators of the estate announced today.

A small admission charge was set up for the gardens recently under an arrangement to keep the estate open to the public following the withdrawal of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Butchart, who will take up residence in the city shortly.

The courtesy extended to men of the forces will continue for the duration of the war. For the general public the admission charge is now in effect.

## Edmonton By-election

OTTAWA (CP) — The Edmonton East by-election will be held June 2, to fill the seat left vacant by the death of F. C. Casselman, Liberal member.

Liberal members discussing the announcement of the date, said they had heard a movement was on foot in the riding to have Mrs. Casselman nominated to complete her husband's term.

## Rogers-Majestic New War Plant

When the shareholders of Rogers-Majestic Corporation Limited, at their special general meeting recently ratified the agreement under which the radio and tube plants, patents, good will and trade marks passed into new hands, these well-equipped plants became primarily dedicated to the production of special and technical products for the British and Canadian governments' war effort.

Colonel W. E. Phillips of Oshawa is chairman of the new board with W. C. Thornton Cran, formerly of London, England, as president.

While production of radio receivers for domestic use will be planned on a smaller scale than heretofore, this will not seriously interfere with the maintenance of their radio picture in Canada, under existing market conditions and restrictions.

Rogers Radio Tubes Company will continue the manufacture of the famous Rogers Metal-Spray tubes, which were the world's first successful A/C tubes and DeForest Radio Company Limited will continue, with Mr. A. L. Ainsworth, president, and also as a director of the new Rogers-Majestic (1941) Limited.

Canadian Radio Corporation

Limited, another subsidiary of the new company, will continue to function as the distributing unit for the domestic market, with B. A. Trestrail, president, and responsible for maintaining the market for Rogers, DeForest and Majestic radios in Canada.

"Rogers-Majestic and DeForest radios will be produced in reasonable quantities throughout the war, with production concentrated on fewer models with the highest possible standards of quality, performance and tone," Mr. Trestrail said.

## POST-WAR DEVELOPMENT

The developments in television, frequency modulation and other radio advancements should make possible a tremendous production program in the post-war period, and it is for that purpose that we are determined to preserve our Canadian picture intact. Hence, almost the entire personnel of the former company will be retained in the organization.

The new Rogers-Majestic (1941) Limited now becomes part of an extensive group of English companies with a tremendous Empire background and a most distinguished executive personnel.

Radio & Electrical Developments Limited of Bush House, Aldwych, London, England, is the parent company, with Lord Swinton, former Minister for Air of Great Britain, chairman. It controls and operates Broadcast Relay Service Limited, a \$5,000,000 company, owning and operat-

ing "Wired Radio" systems through some subsidiary companies in the United Kingdom, the West Indies and other colonies.

The directors of Broadcast Relay Service Limited include Sir Herbert Brent Grotian, as chairman and Allan Miller, managing director, as well as Lord Swinton, Sir Philip Reckitt, Bart.; W. W. Wakefield, M.P.; B. H. Lyon and A. J. Falconer.

## EARTHQUAKE IS RECORDED HERE

A severe earthquake was recorded on the seismographs in Little Saanich Mountain Observatory Monday afternoon. First tremors were recorded at 3.38, Victoria time, and lasted until 5.20. Preliminary analysis places the distance from the epicentre at 3,150 miles from Victoria in an undetermined direction.

A by-product of the University of California's atom-smashing cyclotron is radioactive yttrium, which can substitute for radium in detecting internal flaws in steel and copper.

Tiny larvae of some flour-infesting insects can enter paper bags through holes made by the needles in stitching—solution, gum-latex tape over the sewing at top and bottom.

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12. Automatic Dome Light
13. Ventilation Drip Shields
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15. All Doors Hinged from Front
16. Concealed Door Hinges
17. Harmonic Balancer
18. 58 1/2" wide Front Seat
19. Two Arm Rests
20. Convenient Front Seat Adjustment
21. Full Horn Ring
22. Dual Horns Mounted Behind Radiator Grille
23. Weight 3250 lbs.
24. Glass Area 2264 sq. ins.
25. All Doors
26. Left and Right Door Front Locks
27. Instrument Panel Clock
28. Glove Compartment with Lock and Light
29. Accessible Trunk Lock
30. Easily Mounted Windshield Wipers
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32. Individually Cooled Cylinders
33. Self-Adjusting Tension-Type Rear Spring Shackles
34. Rubber Cushioned Rear Spring Mountings
35. Steel-bound Felt Window Glass Channels
36. Positive Crank-controlled Ventipanes with Lock
37. Six Bolts Hold Rear Wheels to Flanged Axle
38. Two Adjustable Sun Visors
39. Lavish Use of Bright Metal
40. Front Seat and Door Scuff Pads
41. Hypoid Rear Axle

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Grape-Nuts, 15c		B & K or Ogilvie's Quick Oats, large pkt.	15c	Columbia Pork and Beans, 10-oz. tin	6c	Libby's Tomato Juice, 20-oz. tin	5c
Swans Down Cake, Flour, pkt.	25c	Little John Quick Oats, 6-lb. cotton sack	29c	Todd's Horseshoe Salmon, 1/2 lb. tin	19c	26-oz. tin	10c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 8-oz. pkts. and 1 Glass Tumbler free	3 for 23c	Quaker Quick Oats, large pkt.	17c	Todd's Tiger Salmon, 2 tins	27c	Malkin's Best Tea, 1-lb. pkt.	65c
Australian Pastry Flour, 10-lb. cotton sack	41c	Tea Bisk, 31c		Nabob Tea, 1-lb. pkt.	68c	Blue Ribbon Tea, 1-lb.	64c
5-lb. cotton sack	22c	Aylmer Boneless Chicken, 7-oz. tin	25c	Brunswick Chicken, Haddie, tin	15c		

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Birk's White Tuna Fish, 1/2 lb. tin	13c	Nabob Jelly Powders, all flavors, pkt.	2 pkts. 9c	Ormond's Tatters, 1 lb.	21c	Maple Leaf Peas, 3 tins	27c
Fry's Breakfast Cocoa, 1-lb. tin	33c	Spencer's Jelly Powders, all flavors, pkt.	5c	I.B.C. Chocolate Graham Wafers, 2 doz.	15c	Garden of Glen Brand Peaches, tin	11c
Britt-Tack Rye Bread, pkt.	15c	Canada Cornstarch, pkt.	10c	Christie's Royal Creams, 1 lb.	21c	Lynn Valley Peaches, 2 tins	25c
Crisco—1-lb. tin	20c	Jell-O, all flavors, 3 pkts.	19c	Ice Wafers, 1 lb.	27c	Gordon Head Loganberries, 2s, tall, 2 tins	25c
3-lb. tin	55c	Eddy's Sesqui Matches, packet of 12 boxes	23c	Monarch Pastry Flour—10-lb. sack	47c	Norris Pineapple, golden slices or crushed, 8-oz. tin	3 for 25c
Jell-O Quick Puddings all kinds, 3 pkts.	19c	Eddy's Comet Matches, packet of 12 boxes	12c	Jameson's Tea, 1-lb. pkt.	67c	Libby's Australian Peaches, 16-oz. tin	15c
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Libby's Cooked Spaghetti and Cheese, 15-oz. tins	3 for 25c			Oxydol, Large pkt.	21c	Rogers' Golden Syrup, 2-lb. tin	17c	Swift's Pure Pork Sausage, tin	19c
Spencer's Pork and Beans in tomato sauce, 18-oz. tins	3 for 25c			Large pkt.	59c	Aylmer Orange Marmalade, 12-oz. jar	14c	Reckitt's Blue, 2 pkts.	9c
Country Kist Golden Corn, tin	10c			Chipso—Large pkt.	21c	Nabob Special Marmalade, 4-lb. tin	39c	Wonder Soap Flakes, large pkt.	25c
Brentwood Green Beans, 3 tins	28c			Large pkt.	47c	Aylmer Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin	37c	S.O.S. large pkt.	19c
Aylmer or Columbia Tomatoes, 15-oz. tins	3 for 27c			Ivory Flakes—Large pkt.	22c	Burns' Spork, tin	25c	Safeguard Medicated Soap, 4 cakes	15c
Libby's and Aylmer Sauer Kraut, 29-oz. tin	16c			Small pkt.	10c			Palmolive Soap, 2 bars	9c
Brentwood Green Peas, 3 tins	27c							Woodbury's Facial Soap, 4 cakes	24c
Happy-Vale Dill Pickles, 28-oz. tin	24c							Red, White and Blue Toilet Tissue, 3 rolls	9c

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### City School Board Briefs

## Urge Work on Grounds

The need for action to improve hard-surfaced school grounds where rain water, unable to seep away, was transforming playing areas into virtual lakes, was stressed by Trustee Austin Curtis at last night's meeting of the city school board.

Mr. Deane reported the grounds would have to be scored, regraded and built with drains to overcome the difficulty.

The work, Trustee Mulliner added, would cost thousands of dollars.

Trustee McMillan declared the condition should be remedied to prevent children from incurring illnesses through wet feet.

A report on the question will be sought from the building and grounds committee following a proposed interview with the city engineer.

Old Mother Hubbard at least had the cupboard—which put her one up on Victoria West School.

Last night the City School Board heard a request for a cupboard from that district's P.T.A. which sought suitable storage accommodation for expensive costumes the school had acquired over a period of years.

Some of them, Trustee J. S. MacMillan reported, were satin.

George H. Deane, municipal inspector, urged the board to go slow in offering any since the estimates for 1941 had been pared to the bone and mothproof cupboards were costly—about \$40 apiece.

The issue was referred to the building and grounds committee with power to act. But later in the evening Trustee Mrs. A. S. Christie slipped through a clause in the education committee's re-

port approving the accommodation.

Because school chairs are loaned to various organizations at odd times, and because there is frequently a difference in the number returned to the school from which they were taken, the board plans to paint them different colors so they will return whence they came.

To make up one deficit in seating equipment 50 chairs were ordered for Victoria West School.

The board received and accepted three invitations to attend school concerts tonight. The trustees will divide forces to attend programs at Victoria West, George Jay and Oaklands.

Appreciation of the improvements at Victoria High School, particularly the new passageway to the auditorium stage and the curtains, was expressed in a letter from the Students' Council.

The expectation that the City Council would deal with school board employees in a like manner to that in which it will treat its own staffs in the matter of cost-of-living bonuses, was voiced by Trustee F. G. Mulliner, board chairman, when the trustees received a letter from A. C. George, secretary of the School Board Employees' Association, on the question.

Use of Victoria High School for the regular sessions of the Summer School and of Victoria College for summer examinations was granted to the Department of Education on the request of Dr. S. J. Willis, superintendent of education.

The finance committee reported no authorization had been given for purchase of 15 football jerseys bought for the city's Fragment of France team, but was told the expenditure would be met by the general physical training equipment vote in the budget.

Total expenditures for the year to date were reported to be \$135,101 by the deputy finance committee chairman.

Because the board does not wish to cause friction with the recently organized Craigflower Rural School District, it will deduct \$50 from the sum of \$800 charged against that area as fees for children resident there attending Victoria High School. The deduction is made for one student for whom payment will be sought next year.

General improvement work on the schools was detailed by the building and grounds committee which reported seven firms had been asked to submit bids for paint work at the High School gymnasium, Spring Ridge, Kingston Street, and South Park Schools. Staneland Company had secured the contract for the High School gym at \$185, and the Melrose Company for work at South Park at a cost of \$65, the report said. The other work will be held over until the summer vacation.

The Amateur Moving Picture Makers will be given use of a room in Margaret Jenkins School, subject to the usual terms for the pursuit of their educational hobby, as the result of a recommendation by the education committee. The chairman of that group reported on more light and blind installations, purchase of an electrical sewing machine device and electric iron for the South Park domestic science class. The report included a summary of the night school activities this year.

Trustee Mrs. A. S. Christie was congratulated by the board on the manner in which she had organized the highly successful poster competition to advertise sale of war savings certificates.

## Check Appeals In City Schools

A careful check of collections made from school children for various financial drives will be made by George H. Deane, municipal inspector, as the result of discussion on the subject at the City School Board meeting last night.

Trustee Austin Curtis opened the issue, asking for a statement on the board's policy in respect to appeals to school children for money.

"There seem to be a lot of them and if the family has two or three children at school, it comes pretty heavily on father," he stated.

Mr. Deane reported the board's policy called for authorization by the trustees of any appeal made to school children.

Discussion revealed collection boxes were circulated by the Junior Red Cross in addition to its regular canvass for members, that children were being asked to subscribe to the war savings campaign and other unspecified requests were put to them.

Trustee W. A. Bayliss stated he had been approached by a leader of the War Services campaign to see if he thought the board would favor an approach to the children. He had been op-

posed to the action, he said, on the grounds parents were being contacted and the increasing financial drains were too heavy.

Trustee Curtis was of the opinion the double approach on campaigns defeated them, since parents, putting out small donations for their children, were less likely to make big ones themselves.

Mr. Deane stated the board had previously gone on record against collections from school children because they were, in effect, direct calls on the parents. They had

the further undesirable result of focussing attention on the children of poorer people who could not afford to give, he said.

VANCOUVER (CP)—Private Theodor (Teddy) Havemeyer, 47, well-known British Columbia man serving overseas with a British Columbia infantry unit, died suddenly Monday of a heart attack, according to word received here. Well known as a golfer, fisherman and sportsman, he lived for many years at Duncan, Qualicum and other points on Vancouver Island.

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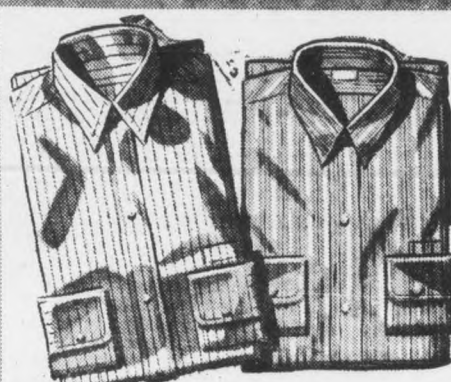
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Frying Chickens, per lb.	40c	Legs Lamb, lb.	38c
Home-made Minicest., 2 lbs.	25c	Shoulders Lamb, lb.	39c
Australian Sultanas, 2 lbs.	25c	Rump Roasts Beef, lb.	27c and 30c
Squirrel Peanut Butter, 2 lbs.	25c	Round Steak Roasts Beef, lb.	28c
Squirrel Peanut Butter, bulk, lb.	11c	Silvered Ovens Roasts Beef, lb.	32c
Fry's Cocoa, 1-lb. tin	35c	Boneless Pot Roasts Beef, lb.	25c
Cut Macaroni, 4 lbs.	25c	Blade Ribs, Roasts Beef, lb.	22c and 20c
Fraser Valley Butter, 3 lbs.	1.15	Rolling Beef, lb.	12c and 15c
Reception Butter, 3 lbs.	1.15	Pork Sausage, large, lb.	25c
Easter Hams, lb.	30c to 43c	Pork Sausage, small, lb.	19c
Easter Hams, boneless, lb.	39c	Beef Sausage, 2 lbs.	19c
Cottage Rolls, lb.	29c	Beef Sausage Meat, 2 lbs.	17c
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## Social and Personal

Mrs. A. W. Hunt of Winnipeg has joined her mother, Mrs. H. Struthers of London, Ontario, who is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. "Pip" Sills, Rockland Avenue, will spend Easter at Cobble Hill with Mrs. Sills' brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Wattle.

Mrs. A. Penner Briggs, South Turner Street, who has been spending the last six weeks in San Francisco with her sister, Mrs. Maitland Cline, has returned home.

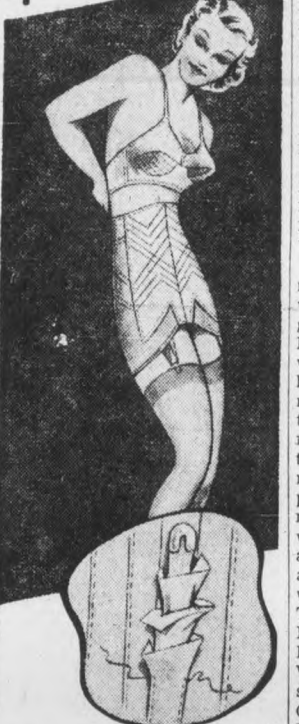
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allen of Seattle will arrive Friday on a visit to Major and Mrs. J. E. Mathews, Central Avenue, when the whole party will leave on the Phyllis F. on a cruise of coastal waters over the week-end.

Miss May Smith, whose marriage is to take place shortly, was recently presented with a silver tea service and tray by her associates of the Government Printing Bureau. The presentation was made on behalf of the staff by Mr. Charles F. Banfield, King's printer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Malcolm of Quesnel, after visiting at Harrison Hot Springs, have been spending a few days in Victoria with Mrs. Malcolm's sister, Mrs. Edna Chadwick, Fort Street, and have left to visit friends at Ganges before returning home. Mrs. Chadwick has staying with her for the Easter holidays her son, Master William Chadwick, who is attending school at Shawnigan Lake, and his friend, Master Martin Stainsbury.

Complimenting Mrs. G. Denby who is leaving shortly to spend a vacation in Regina and Winnipeg, a delightful tea was held Tuesday afternoon at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel. During the afternoon the guest of honor was presented with a corsage bouquet. Tea was served from a prettily appointed table, centred with a silver bowl of spring flowers. Mrs. H. Taylor and Mrs. J. G. Jones presided at the tea urns. The invited guests were: Mrs. G. Denby, Mrs. Doidge, Mrs. D. Brallie, Mrs. Drummond, Mrs. J. G. Jones, Mrs. M. King, Mrs. J. Grant, Mrs. W. Angus, Mrs. F. Partridge, Mrs. V. Tierney, Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mrs. H. Taylor, Mrs. W. Wilson, Mrs. V. Pritchard, Mrs. W. Lawson and Mrs. Noble.

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A miscellaneous shower was held on Saturday evening at the home of Miss Doreen Barron, assisted by Miss Peggy McCoy, in honor of Miss Dolly McCoy whose marriage is to take place April 12 to Pte. G. W. Pugh, R.C.O.C. On their arrival the bride-to-be and her mother were presented with corsage bouquets of lady slippers. The gifts were concealed in a green container decorated with pink and green. The evening was spent in playing games and singing. A buffet supper was served from a table decorated with bleeding heart, primroses and apple blossoms. The invited guests were Misses D. McCoy, P. McCoy, E. McCoy, D. Barron, E. Pugh, A. LeBus, E. LeBus, J. McDavitt, J. Ellis, H. Ellis, M. Allen, J. McCall, R. Hamilton, E. Bennett, M. Gray, Mesdames J. F. McCoy, R. Sneddon, W. McCoy, J. McDavitt, H. Allen, R. Tomlinson, R. Easton, G. McCall, F. Hamilton, E. M. Hamilton, H. Court, W. Pugh, R. Gray, J. Roberts, C. Grouth.

In compliment to Miss Evelyn Todd, whose marriage to Mr. "Jumbo" Davies will take place tomorrow evening at St. Matthew's Church, Mrs. James R. Kennedy and Mrs. Norman R. Kennedy were joint hostesses at a party given last evening at the home of Mrs. James R. Kennedy, Northcott Street. The honored guest was presented with a number of lovely gifts. The supper table was done in Easter colors, mauve and yellow, the centre-piece being a crystal bowl filled with tulips in these two colors and lighted with yellow tapers in crystal holders. The guests included Miss Evelyn Todd, Mrs. Alice Todd, Mrs. W. H. Davies, Miss Marjorie Todd, Miss Marjorie Davies, Mrs. J. J. Kennedy, Mrs. C. H. High, Miss Maxine High, Mrs. G. Henson, Mrs. Geo. Rice, Mrs. Davies Sr., Mrs. A. H. Davies, Mrs. Albie Davies and Mrs. Quincey. The affair, held in the games' room of the home, was attended at midnight by the groom-elect and a number of men friends who arrived for supper.

Mrs. Cyril Webster, St. Ann Street, entertained with a kitchen shower last evening in compliment to Miss Gwen Williams, whose marriage to Mr. Frank Boughey will take place shortly. On her arrival the bride-to-be received a corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds. The many useful gifts presented to her were attached to ribbons showering from a prettily decorated umbrella. During the evening competitions and games were enjoyed. Mrs. A. E. Boughey and Mrs. Stuart Yates poured tea and coffee from a table centred with a large bowl of pink tulips. The invited guests included Mrs. Milton Williams, A. E. Boughey, Stuart Yates, W. Webster, R. G. Thomson, C. T. Teasdale, R. D. Travis, W. A. Atherton, W. N. Gunning, R. B. Mathews, F. H. Rough, John Thomson, J. K. Ellis, D. J. Doswell and M. M. Williams; Misses M. Leigh, E. Morrison, May Croft, Marjorie Dodsworth, Dorothy Hill, Winnie Elliott, Sheila Sangster, Joyce Finch and Margery Tindall.

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## Church Must Face Today's Challenge, W.M.S. Told

Declaring that the Christian church is the one unifying agency in a war-torn world, Miss Laura Pelton of Toronto gave a stimulating address at the opening session of the 27th annual meeting of the British Columbia Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church at St. Andrew's last night.

### MUST FACE SACRIFICES

Miss Pelton, who is a national field secretary of the Presbyterian W.M.S., decried those critics who described the church as "all washed up and out-moded," and proceeded to point out how the influence of the church was growing in such countries as China, India, Japan and Africa.

But the countries of Europe which had served as the material and spiritual headquarters for mission churches throughout the world had suddenly been cut off on account of the present chaotic state, and those countries were turning to the North American Continent for help.

To meet this challenge, it was essential the people of this continent, who had been spared persecution and bombings, should take up the torch and be ready to face personal sacrifice to ensure that when peace has come, a full righteous victory might be ours, said Miss Pelton.

Mrs. W. A. McLennan of Toronto, past vice-president of the council, touched upon the work accomplished by the W.M.S. last year, whose success revealed a great loyalty to the things to which they are pledged. She appealed to the delegates to maintain the broad outlook essential to the building up of a great Canadian nation, and urged them to tackle their tasks with renewed faith and enthusiasm.

Mr. J. A. Kennedy, who is an honorary life member of the St. Andrew's Branch of the W.M.S., gave a welcome to the delegates on behalf of the church. Mrs. Lister sang a solo, "I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes," Mr. Cyril Warren at the organ. Rev. J. Jackie Niven pronounced the benediction.

### SUPPER MEETING

Prior to the meeting, the delegates were entertained at supper in the lecture hall, about 125 sitting down to the flower-decked tables and enjoying the excellent repast conveyed by Mrs. J. P. Dempsey and her energetic committee.

Mrs. W. H. MacInnes, provincial president, was in the chair and Mrs. F. J. Allott, president of Victoria Presbyterial, welcomed the guests.

Mrs. W. L. Clay, on behalf of the hostess society, presented corsage bouquets to Mrs. McLennan, Miss Pelton, Mrs. Allott and Mrs. W. J. White, honorary provincial president.

### GREETINGS RECEIVED

Letters of greeting were read by Miss Sybil White, Vancouver, corresponding secretary, from Mrs. McMurrich, Toronto; Mrs. Harold Gordon, who is at present in Honolulu, and from the president of Columbia Diocesan W.A. of the Church of England in Canada. Mrs. Marjorie, representing the Baptist W.M.S.; Miss Grace Baker of the United Church W.M.S.; Rev. J. Hyde, on behalf of the Presbyterian Church Synod, all brought greetings, and a letter was read from the W.C.T.U. as well as messages from the W.M.S. in Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Ontario.

Rev. J. L. W. McLean conveyed greetings on behalf of the Sunday school and young people, the home missions committee of the Synod, and Moderator of the Presbyterian Church. Capt. Rev. J. Munro, chaplain, paid warm tribute to the women working in the interest of Esquimalt House, which, he declared, is greatly appreciated by the younger men of the forces, and urged the W.M.S. to enlist the interest of the whole church in it.

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Rev. J. McNab pronounced the grace. The presidents of the four Presbyterials: Mrs. Smith, representing the Kamloops-Okanagan Branch of the W.M.S.; Mrs. J. W. Dow of Creston, B.C., representing Kootenay Branch, and Mrs. R. Pollock of New Westminster, each said a few words.

Fidels Group, Metropolitan Church, met recently at the home of Mrs. A. J. Daniels, 1385 Rockland Avenue. Mrs. R. J. Crozier Smith, the president, in the chair. Mrs. W. P. Freeman led the devotional period. Mrs. Sidney Phillips sang a solo. Mrs. Albert Sullivan read "The White Cliffs," Miss Edna Rossiter expressed thanks to Mrs. Daniels, Mrs. Freeman and Mrs. Sullivan. The group have charge of the men's supper meeting to be held April 21. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. James Oakman, 2186 McNeill Avenue.

(Clubwomen's news on pages 18 and 24.)

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## Auxiliary to Army And Navy Thanked

Members of the energetic Women's Auxiliary of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada, Victoria unit, felt fully rewarded for their work in providing comforts in the way of clothing to the people in the bombed areas of England when they received a letter of thanks direct from London from the Women's War Work Department of the Overseas League.

During the last four months this small but active group, numbering 16 members, has forwarded more than 1,000 garments overseas and they are still keeping up the good work. The message from London made it plain that their efforts are not going unrecognized.

The auxiliary forwards its contributions through the local branch of the Overseas League. The letter, addressed to Mrs. V. N. Moffat, president of the auxiliary, reads as follows:

"On behalf of the Women's War Work Department of the Overseas League, I would like to thank you for the wonderful gift of beautiful garments you have sent us. They will be very gratefully received by those to whom they will be sent. These will be distributed to the people in the bombed areas.

"With kind regards to all your members who have so kindly helped to bring much happiness in the lives of those who have lost everything."

## Mrs. E. Hornsby Head Of Catholic League

Mrs. E. Hornsby was elected president of the Victoria sub-division of the Catholic Women's League at the annual meeting held last night. Other officers chosen were: First vice-president, Mrs. Roy Kissinger; second vice-president, Mrs. J. J. O'Brien; third vice-president, Mrs. Johnston; recording secretary, Mrs. Blair Reid; corresponding secretary, Miss M. Clay; treasurer Mrs. P. C. Shaw. Councillors elected were: Mrs. S. Hunter, Mrs. A. L. Batty, Mrs. A. Rule, Mrs. A. Cowden, Mrs. H. Kelly and Mrs. N. MacIsaac.

Mrs. W. C. McManus, the retiring president, was presented with a handsome handbag on behalf of the members and in appreciation of her able and devoted leadership. In the absence of Miss Madeline Clay, the secretary, the annual report was read by Mrs. O'Brien, and other annual reports by Miss V. Babington, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. McManus, Miss H. O'Brien, Mrs. J. D. Kissinger, Mrs. F. T. Porter and Mrs. Reid.

The year's work covered a large field of varied activities, much being accomplished for the Red Cross, to which all the members have devoted themselves untiringly under the leadership of Mrs. Blair Reid. In the child welfare division it was reported that during the cold weather, cocoa and hot soup had been supplied to the school by the league. The Perpetual Help Credit Union showed progress for the year and had a large membership.

The canteen report by Mrs. A. Cowden showed the members of the league had given their services regularly at the Knights of Columbus Hut and had done much in arranging dances and entertainment for the men of the three services.

Rev. Father J. A. Gaudette, in thanking and congratulating the officers and members for their work during the year, expressed his sincere wishes for their continued success, for victory and final peace.

## Y.P.U. ENTERTAINMENT

At the recent meeting at the home of Miss Helen McLennan, plans for an evening of instruction and entertainment under the auspices of the Victoria and Lower Island Young People's Union, United Church were laid.

The program will include presentation by the Centennial Young People of their play "A Crown for Mary," which recently won the Provincial Drama Festival, sponsored by the United Church Young People. Following the play will be a short musical program and the third portion of the evening will be devoted to a Bible quiz, conducted by the Rev. A. Whitehouse, Rev. N. Crees and Rev. J. Turner, and based on the Gospel of St. John. Two teams, one of boys and one of girls will compete, each representing a baseball team. The three ministers named will "pitch" the questions, rule the players "safe" or "out" and tally the hits and runs.

Tuesday, April 29 has been set as the date and First United Church schoolroom as the location.

Miss Helen McLennan heads the committee assisted by Miss Margaret Walker and Mr. Clifford Batstone, captains of the respective teams.

## Engagements

### SQUIRES—DOBBS

The engagement is announced of Marianne Ringland, younger daughter of the late Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Dobbs, Qualicum Beach, V.I., to Arthur Raymond Squires, only son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Squires, Kinley, Sask. The wedding will take place this month.

### MacNEILL—KETCHEN

The engagement is announced of Mary Elizabeth Esme, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Ketchen, and Lieut. Charles Edward Collier MacNeill, 1st Battalion, Canadian Scottish, eldest son of the late Major G. W. C. MacNeill and Mrs. MacNeill of Cadboro Bay Road, Oak Bay. The wedding will take place on May 3.

### HURLEY—MACURDA

CONCORD, New Hampshire—Mr. and Mrs. William H. Macurda announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret, to Dr. Patrick Mason Hurley of Victoria, son of Mrs. Mason Hurley and the late Frederick C. Mason Hurley.

Miss Macurda attended Smith College and graduated from Simmons College, 1939. Dr. Hurley graduated from the University of B.C. and received his Ph.D. at Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1940. He is now engaged in research work for the Royal Society of Canada at the institute.

## Junior Catholics Elect Officers

Miss A. Grant was elected president of the Junior Catholic Women's League at the annual meeting held on Monday evening at the home of Miss R. Maguire, 1022 Linden Avenue. Other officers are: Vice-president, Miss N. O'Connell; secretary, Miss W. Leavitt; treasurer, Miss C. Krubinski.

Annual reports were read by officers and conveners of various committees. A satisfactory financial year was reported.

Corsage bouquets were presented to the retiring officers, Mrs. C. Rivers, the retiring president, also receiving a rosette in a case from Rev. Father Penfold, on behalf of the league.

Conveners appointed for the year were Miss N. Holdrich, in charge of mailing stamps to the seminary and literature to the Indians; Miss M. Doyle, Red Cross work; Miss N. Cannon and Miss L. Michaux, visiting shut-ins; Miss M. Comerford and Miss N. Cannon, Catholic library.

Mrs. A. Cullingford will convene the candy stall to be held at St. Ann's Academy on April 24. She will be assisted by Mrs. A. Webb, Miss W. Scott, Miss D. Allen, Miss G. Murray and Mrs. Crabb.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss K. Nesbitt, 1020 Pendergas Street.

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## Clubwomen's News

The Athena Club of Oak Bay United Church met at the home of Mrs. L. Neelands, 1898 Lullie

Street, on Monday evening, Mrs. Wm. A. Macdonald presiding. Mrs. O. A. Butters spoke on Persia. Refreshments were served.

The Empire Ministry women's auxiliary will meet on Thursday at 2.15 at the home of Mrs. G. Mayar, 1273 Pembroke Street. (Other Clubwomen's News on Page 18.)

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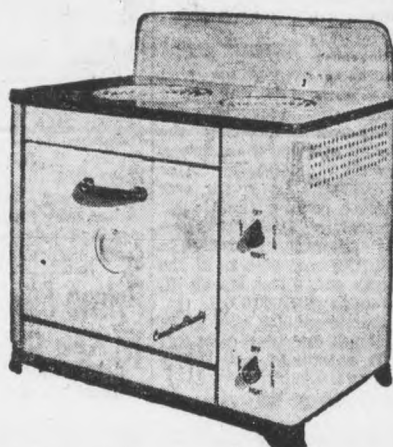
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## King and Queen Watch 'Defence of the Realm'



Down to the seacoast went the King and Queen to study the defence tactics for a possible invasion (right). There they found Polish troops who have taken up their position along with British and Canadian units. The Poles are determined that what happened to their nation will not happen again, and by helping Britain hope to regain their own land. No matter how long the wait, they are constantly on vigil and well rehearsed to meet the men who may come over the sea. There are few tiny villages in England that have not felt some touch of the German raider. Certainly all are awake to the danger of invasion attempts by parachute troops. Their confidence is bolstered when tanks like this (left) come rumbling into their villages as troops rehearse a round-up of parachute forces.

### 3 Weeks' Holiday

## Commons Adjourns For Easter Recess

OTTAWA (CP)—With nearly three weeks of Easter holidays ahead of them, most members of the House of Commons traveled homeward today after completing the second stage of the present session of Parliament.

This is the second long adjournment since the second session of the 19th Parliament opened last November 7. The first was from December 6 to February 17.

Little in the way of legislation has been accomplished in the two periods, but members of the government have given long reviews of activities of their departments, especially in relation to the war effort, and private members have given full rein to their criticism and suggestions.

Adjournment was taken at 6 yesterday evening until April 28. The motion was adopted over the objections of C.C.F. members, who wanted to sit at least until 11 for further discussion of the government's wheat acreage reduction policy.

### WAR BUDGET HIGHLIGHT

Outstanding among the nine measures adopted at this year's sitting were the money bills for war purposes, authorizing the government to spend the unprecedented sum of \$1,435,000,000, of which \$1,300,000,000 is for war costs of the current fiscal year.

The remaining \$135,000,000 covers the amount necessary to make up the cost of war in the fiscal year ended last March 31, which totaled \$835,000,000.

The Senate sat for only eight days last fall and nine days this year. It adjourned last Friday until May 13.

### BUDGET AFTER EASTER

The 1941-42 budget will not be brought down until after the Easter recess, but, breaking traditional practice of budget secrecy, two announcements bearing on the budget have been made.

Yesterday Finance Minister Isley gave details of proposed changes in the Excess Profits Tax Act. These will not lessen the severity of the tax but are designed to simplify its application from the standpoint of both payer and collector.

Mr. Isley a little more than a week ago announced the price of sugar would be increased one cent a pound at refineries to prevent heavy speculative buying in anticipation of budget changes.

This was assumed to be an indication the present excise tax of one cent a pound on sugar would

## Prime Minister King To See Roosevelt

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister Mackenzie King will go to the United States for consultations during the Easter recess of the House of Commons with President Roosevelt and other American authorities and information here today was that his departure might be expected momentarily.

Mr. King also probably will spend some time resting in Virginia or Georgia.

It is also expected other cabinet ministers will take advantage of the Easter recess to visit the United States on official business connected with the war and involving important conversations with American officials.

California has 19,471,000 orange trees, Florida 13,135,000, and there are 2,032,000 in Arizona and Texas.

### World Watches Balkans

## Year Ago German Troops Went Into Denmark, Norway

By the Canadian Press

A year ago today Nazi troops occupied Denmark and invaded Norway in a lightning move to which this week's invasion of Yugoslavia and Greece, ending nine months of stalemate in continental Europe, bears a parallel.

The Denmark-Norway drive proved to be a stroke to safeguard Germany's flank for the attack on France through the Low Countries a month later.

The Yugoslavia-Greece drive today could be a similar feint to safeguard the German flank for an open attack on Turkey, with the Suez Canal and Egypt as the ultimate objective.

Then, as now, Germany engaged two adversaries at once on their soil with Britain coming to aid.

Then, as now, Germany charged Britain with "impairing the neutrality" of the countries invaded.

The Scandinavian-Balkan parallel narrowly missed being coincidental. Denmark capitulated; Yugoslavia was on the verge until an internal coup d'état last month ousted the men who favored giving in to Germany. Norway fought; Greece is fighting.

One major difference between the Scandinavian and the Balkan campaigns is in the British position.

Britain had no troops in Norway when a startled world learned Germany had seized Denmark and broken the back of resistance in Norway. Today a large British force is in Greece.

In the North Sea, the British navy was open to air, surface and submarine attacks from nearby German bases and suffered. Now, the Germans have air forces in the Mediterranean area, but the Italian navy on which the Nazis might have counted to replace the German navy has been hit so hard its power can be discounted.

Two German planes were reported shot down off the Welsh coast this morning in an attempt to renew the assaults by daylight.

The Coventry raid lasted several hours. Damage was considerable, and it was feared casualties were heavy.

Throughout today Coventry dug through the rubble again, removed its dead and injured and sought to go back to work just as it did last November.

### SIX BOMBERS BAGGED

R.A.F. night fighters reported destruction of six German bombers, and the Air Ministry news service said others were "damaged and known to be in trouble as they made for home."

The first assault on Coventry was beaten off by night fighters after anti-aircraft guns had been quieted to give the pilots "elbow room" to fight.

Hour later the Germans returned, slashing at the town in an intense attack. A school, a hospital, a police station and a hotel were said to have been hit during the raids.

Aside from the concentrated assault on Coventry, Nazi bombers struck in force at other factory towns in the industrial Midlands, while scattered flights ranged widely across England, attacking sharply in the south-east and on south coast towns.

### NO BOMBS ON LONDON

London had an early alarm, followed by anti-aircraft fire, but no bombs, and the all-clear sounded before midnight.

The news service said, British planes flew over German-occupied airfields early this morning, "dropping bombs while aircraft were returning from raids on this country, shooting up and dowsing landing lights and damaging ground material and transport."

### GERMAN CLAIMS

BERLIN (AP)—A German communiqué today said: "The fight of the air force against British supply shipping and war essential objectives in Great Britain continued with

### Canada Calls for Recruits

## Fighting Services Want 116,000 Men

OTTAWA (CP)—A call for upwards of 116,000 men will be made during the current year to reinforce Canada's armed forces, it was announced in a joint radio appeal for recruits by Defence Minister Ralston, Air Minister Power and Navy Minister Macdonald last night over the CBC.

Of the manpower required during 1941, the army will absorb up to 72,000, the air force approximately 35,000 and the navy plans about 9,000 officers and men, the ministers said.

Launching the first public appeal for recruits since the outbreak of war, Col. Ralston said the absence of pressure in the past had probably created an impression men were not needed.

Under present conditions, the army alone would require between 5,000 to 6,000 every month for active service to fill up units already formed, or to add to them.

"We want to be absolutely sure that, come what may, every formation which Canada has pledged shall be kept up to full strength," Col. Ralston said. "That is what the monthly quota is for. It isn't to provide new units."

### Reserve Units Can Volunteer

Col. Ralston said members of reserve units with first battalions in the active army would be given an opportunity to volunteer for active service as the need arose for more men. It was impracticable for each active unit to have a reserve unit of the same name, but under an arrangement volunteers from reserve units would be permitted to join active formations from the same province, and in some cases, from the same locality as their reserve unit. This plan of "matching up" every reserve unit with an active unit from the same territory would promote a spirit of provincial and local pride.

There were vacancies in practically every district for all arms of the service. In seeking new recruits, however, instructions had

aged three additional large ships on the British east coast.

"Eastward of Skegness a reconnaissance plane, in an attack from low altitude, scored two heavy calibre direct hits on a British destroyer.

(These claims are not confirmed from British sources.)

"Last night several hundred planes made a rolling attack on numerous port and industrial facilities in southern and central England. The main thrust was directed against plants of the aircraft industry in the city and region of Coventry.

"Thousands of explosives and incendiaries caused heavy destruction to industrial plants. Numerous fires were started in the port and dock facilities of Portsmouth."

scientific weapon against air attack.

"We are looking for 2,500 Canadians of good common sense who are ready this minute to volunteer for overseas service in a new service," said Maj. Powers. "I do not like to overstate the case, yet I can say that it is of vital importance that we get these men and that we get them immediately."

The age limit for radio technicians would be from 18 to 45 years.

### Invention Locates Enemy Planes

"The British Air Ministry expects great things from this invention," the minister said. "The details of this work are of course secret, but I can say that in general terms it means that by using a great number of small radio sets of modern design, radio technicians posted at ground points all over the British Isles will be able to detect enemy planes in the air and direct anti-aircraft fire with deadly precision."

Mr. Macdonald said there had been some disappointment among

many eager to join the Royal Canadian Navy, but for whom no place was available.

"Our policy has been and will continue to be one of expansion, but at the same time one of careful selection," he said.

Since the outbreak of war the navy had been expanded tenfold, necessitating additional training space and many new instructors.

### Navy Wants Marine Engineers

One of the most pressing needs of the Royal Canadian Navy was marine engineers, with at least third or fourth class marine certificates. The immediate requirement was for 250 men in this classification.

There was also an urgent demand for 200 high-class motor mechanics, and openings for shipwrights and cooks. Tradesmen in other categories would also be accepted and placed on a waiting list until such times as vacancies occurred.

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AYLMER TOMATOES, No. 24, 3 tins 28c  
AYLMER TOMATO JUICE, 20-oz. tin, 3 for 25c  
ROYAL CITY PEACHES, 16-oz. tin, 2 for 27c  
LYNN VALLEY APRICOTS, 15-oz. tin, 2 for 27c  
POLK'S GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 48-oz. tin, 24c  
SUN-RYPE APPLE JUICE, 48-oz. tin, 22c  
SAATCHI BARTLETT PEARS, 16-oz. tin, 2 for 29c  
SUNSWEEP PRUNES, large, 24c  
PRINCE'S PICKLES, sweet mustard or sweet mixed; 36-oz. jar, 26c  
JIFFY MEAT BALLS AND BOILED DINNERS, tin, 3 for 27c  
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## Spring-cleaning Time Is Here!

Clean out any saleable article you can spare and send it to us. We can readily find a customer for it.

We have customers wanting: Amber glassware of any kind; English croquet set, small silver table bell, nest of tea tables, baby's high chair and large fans.

Among our present stock we have for sale: Indian silver tea set (3 pieces), very fine piece of Satsuma and plated hot-water jugs.





**DOES THIS POINT A GREAT MORAL LESSON TO YOU?**—Pressed into service in New York to sell flowers in the old Greek manner this donkey balks at entering the Ritz-Carlton, which must point up a moral lesson of some kind. Society girls in native costume employed beasts to boost benefit for fighting Greeks.

## U.S.-Italian Split Looms

WASHINGTON (AP)—Italy today demanded the recall of the United States assistant military attaché in Rome in apparent reprisal for the action of the United States in forcing the withdrawal of the Italian naval attaché from this country.

The State Department announced the Italian government had made the request for the withdrawal of Captain C. Bentley in the same note in which it complied with the American request for withdrawal of Admiral Alberto Lais, the Italian naval attaché here.

### MAY RECALL AMBASSADOR

ROME (AP)—Italian troops continued to stand guard over the United States embassy today as rumors circulated that Mussolini might call his ambassador back from Washington because of the "sequestration" of Italian ships in United States ports.

Amid indications of rising Fascist irritation, an authoritative source declared the Italian government had withdrawn Admiral Alberto Lais, naval attaché at the embassy in Washington under protest that the United States action was unfriendly and illegal.

### Canadian Legion Hut at Nanaimo

Arrangements have been completed for opening of a hut in Nanaimo military camp by the Canadian Legion war services and appointment of a staff has been confirmed by headquarters at Ottawa. Since opening of the camp, the legion has had a representative stationed there.

A. S. Coburn, Vancouver, has been appointed assistant supervisor in the Nanaimo area, while L. Hamby, Vancouver, will continue as full-time entertainment officer.

### Hurt in Odd Mishap

VANCOUVER (CP)—Injured in a freak accident when a big truck tire he was changing blew out, Eric Christen, about 30, is in critical condition in a hospital here. The force of the tire exploding blew the heavy steel rim off the truck wheel and it struck Christen full on the forehead.

### Woodward Returns

VANCOUVER (CP)—Col. W. C. Woodward, executive assistant to Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Munitions and Supply, would make no comment on the progress of Canada's industrial war effort when he reached here today from Ottawa. He expects to remain here several months, looking after private business interests.

### OAKLANDS P.T.A.

Oaklands P.T.A. met Monday evening with the president, Mrs. R. McInnes, in the chair. The following were elected as delegates to the convention: Mrs. R. McInnes, Mrs. W. Blair, Mrs. G. Rumsby, Mrs. M. Wright and Mrs. A. Anderson. The Red Cross rooms will be closed during the Easter vacation. On the first Monday in May the association will hold the annual meeting. The following were named as the nomination committee: Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Sanders and Mrs. Smith. Miss Jessie McLenaghan, director of home economics for the province, gave an interesting address, and a solo was given by Miss Jean Earle. Refreshments were served by Mrs. C. Wilson and the committee.

The Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science has been given largest known privately-owned collection of apothecaries' jars and mortars.

## British Housewives Raise \$11,000,000 By Salvage

LONDON (CP)—British housewives in their second great drive for salvage now on hope to double the amount collected in their first 16-month campaign when 40 shiploads of paper, estimated to be valued at \$8,000,000 or \$35,000,000 and enough metal to build 16,000 tanks was collected.

Among other things housewives are asked to collect this year are 1,000,000 old flashlight batteries a week, 1,000 tons of bones monthly and enough leftovers in food to feed 100,000 pigs per month.

In the first campaign British industry paid more than \$11,000,000 for collected salvage.

**V.O.N. Grateful for Oak Bay Grant**  
Announcement of a special grant of \$200 made by the Oak Bay Municipal Council for the work of the Victorian Order of Nurses was warmly received by members of the board in meeting Tuesday morning under the chairmanship of the president, Mrs. George Hall.

The total of new patients increases at the rate of 100 a month, according to the report made by Miss A. Creaser, the superintendent, there being 409 new patients during March, an increase of 100 over February. Communicable disease still figures largely, 355 calls to these cases being made in the total of 1,440.

Mothers and babies received 225 visits, chronics 213, others 367. There were one confinement, one cancer, and 70 tuberculosis. Instructive calls totaled 207. Free clinics amounted to 881. Four clinics were held with an attendance of 91; and there were nine classes in home nursing. Night calls numbered 31.

Mrs. R. B. Horton, convener of the Lenten sewing, reported that

members had finished 24 nightgowns, 18 shirts and 12 diapers. As convener of the nurses' advisory committee, Mrs. Horton also reported that, with Mrs. E. H. W. Elkington, she had discussed a salary schedule with the western supervisor, Miss McCuig, upon her visit here. Slight increases for three of the nurses were voted upon by the board.

Mrs. Hall, the president, and Miss Creaser, the superintendent for Victoria, represented the V.O.N. at the reception for their excellencies the Governor-General

of Canada and Princess Alice at the Parliament Buildings.

## Clubwomen's News

The quarterly meeting of the First United Women's Association was held in the church hall on Monday afternoon, the president, Mrs. W. S. Dawson, in the chair. Devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. J. H. Schroeder and Mrs. R. Nash sang. The groups reported on their plans for the late spring and early fall. The Royal Cubit Group announced their annual tea to be held at the home of Miss Alice Munsie, 1012 Johnson Street, on Wednesday, April 16; the May tea of the Oak Bay Group on May 2, with Mrs. Fred McGregor, 2126 Granite Street, and the Mother's Day tea at First United Church on May 7, under the auspices of the Fairfield group. At the close of the meeting tea was served under the convenship of Mrs. G. B. Clifford.

Sir James Douglas P.T.A. met Tuesday, the president, Mrs. H. Cunningham in the chair. It was decided to give the usual grants of \$7.50 to each of the study groups. Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. W. Yardley, Mrs. W. Wilson and Mrs. Crawford were delegated to attend the P.T.A. Convention, with Mrs. Firth, Mrs. H. Howard, Mrs. H. Woollett and Mrs. P. Atkinson as alternates. Mr. Wilson reported the cadet uniforms would not be ready for the inspection which will take place Friday at 2 p.m. Miss Margaret Husband accompanied by Mrs. Firth sang two solos. Captain Bateman assisted by Mrs. Bateman, gave an interesting illus-

trated talk on their trip through the Kashmir Valley, "The Venice of the East." The Annual Meeting is on May 6. The Adolescent Study Group will meet at the home of Mrs. MacDonald, 1202 Fort Street, on April 28.

The Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E., met at headquarters on Tuesday afternoon with the regent, Mrs. H. A. Stuart, in the chair. The war convener, Mrs. F. E. Dowdall, reported that work,

valued at \$75 had been completed by the chapter for the month of March. This consisted of sweaters, socks and scarfs for the troops, and children's and babies' knitted garments for the bombed victims of Britain. Mrs. Lambeth was accepted as a member and will be welcomed at the next meeting on May 13 at 8 p.m. at headquarters. The members drew for their corners for the annual tag day on May 18, Mrs.

W. Ellis being the convener. Mrs. H. A. Stuart was chosen the chapter's delegate to the provincial annual meeting in Vancouver, commencing on Tuesday, April 22. The next knitting meeting will be held at the home of Miss W. Scowcroft, 1120 Pembroke Street, on Wednesday, April 16, at 8 p.m. A donation was made to the isolated families' fund. Upon adjournment tea was served by Mrs. P. E. Corby.

ROME (AP)—The Suez Canal is the Axis goal after Yugoslavia and Greece, the officially-controlled newspaper Popolo di Roma asserted today in a dispatch from Berlin. (To reach the Suez Canal, Axis forces would have to drive through Turkey, which was reported in Ankara to be watching the Balkan war calmly and viewing the situation as "not dangerous yet.")

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News for Men Who Take a Pride in Their Appearance... An Excellent New Shipment of Up-to-the-minute

**SUITS** For Easter  
100 Suits in Fine English Fabrics  
**23.50**

As Low as 7.85 Cash — Balance in 30 and 60 Days Without Interest

Being well dressed for Easter... and incidentally for the rest of the season, will be easy for men who share this excellent value. The English fabrics include yarn-dyed and piece-dyed worsteds and all-wool tweeds and twills, and show patterns to please your individual taste in spring and summer shades of grey, green and brown. Smart single and double-breasted models in sizes 35 to 44. Shop early and be well dressed within the limits of wise spending!

Men! The Newest Styles in  
**Sport Jackets**  
**14.95**

Colorful imported tweeds in rich shades of greens, browns and greys. They're made up in Canada to H.B.C. specifications, with plain backs and side or centre vents; 2 and 3-button models. Sizes 36 to 44.

**Sport Trousers**  
**7.95**

Gabardines and cords, expertly tailored in men's and young men's models, including semi-drapes with pleated fronts. Soft greys, rich browns and conservative greys. Sizes 30 to 37.

Boys' Sharkskin Windbreakers

Smart shades of green, blue, fawn and maroon in full-zipper style, trimmed with contrasting collar and cuffs. Sizes 30 to 37. Price **3.95**

Youths' and Students'

**SUITS**

With One or Two Trousers

**9.98**

Your son will want to dress up for Easter, too! See these smart tweeds in green, blue, brown and grey. Sport models with pleated-back coats and pleated-front trousers. The sturdy wool tweeds will stand plenty of hard wear. Sizes 28 to 37.

Students' Flannel Longs

Sturdy All-wool English Garnet Flannel Longs. Smartly cut with pleated fronts and cuffed bottoms. Several shades of grey. Sizes 24 to 32. Pair **4.50**

—Street Floor at THE BAY



**Grass Catchers**

Adjustable, round-bottom, non-slipping type with 16-inch deep white duck sides and galvanized sheet steel bottom. Each **1.25**

Just Arrived!

**Fairlawn Mowers**

5 blades, large cast wheels, new positive drive, hard, long-lasting pawls and hardwood roller and handle.

14-inch size, **9.95** 16-inch size, **10.95**

1.00 Trade-in Allowance for Your Old Mower

—Housewares, Third Floor at THE BAY



**Easter Sale of Wash Fabrics**

**32c** YARD

A bevy of lovely designs in cotton prints and printed sheer cottons that are perfect for warmer days. All are tubfast; 36 inches wide. Reg. 39c yard.

Assortment of Wash Fabrics

Printed Seersucker Crepes, dainty Floral Voiles or Plain Broadcloths in an assortment of spring and summer colors. All are tubfast. 36 inches wide. Regular 49c. Yard **38c**

Plain and Novelty Fabrics

Novelty Waffle-weave Cotton Prints and Plain English Spun Rayons that are ideal for summer party tops, housecoats and daytime dresses. 36 inches wide. Regular 59c. Yard **47c**

—Fabrics, Street Floor at THE BAY

**Ladyship Crepes**

Dainty, permanent-finish Printed Organ-dies to make into intriguing summer evening wear and daytime frocks; 36 inches wide. Reg. 1.19. Yard **98c**

**9 A.M. SPECIAL**

English Broadcloths in a host of lovely shades. Ideal for kiddies' tops, summer dresses, housecoats, etc.; 36 inches wide. Yard **15c**



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Parade because  
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## "Loaf-a-round" SHOES

"Sub-debs" Newest Fashion Trend  
in Footwear

4<sup>95</sup>



They're fashion-firsts for walking, sports, school or loaf-a-round wear. You'll love the loose, comfortable feel and appreciate the casual lines. They're the biggest news in shoes right now . . . worlds of comfort for your feet and endless charm for yourself. Moccasin loafers in soft domac saddle beige leather with flat or military heels. Crepe sole sport shoes in brown, beige or white. Brown and white moccasin oxfords in buck or smooth leather. Size range from 4 to 9 and widths AA to C.

Easter's First Choice for Fashion-appeal . . .

## Janet Lee Shoes

7<sup>95</sup>



Everything you want in Shoes . . . style, comfort and wearability! You'll find all your favorites in this popular line of shoes! Pumps with new sleek lines and individual trims . . . perfect-fitting elasticized garters . . . crushed kid with that new dull look . . . flexible calfs in black, blue, brown and beige.



For Easter Loveliness . . .

## Kayser Hose

Ten Beautiful Shades . . . in "Miro-O-Kleers"

Cadet, Neutrelle, Glory, Clarion, Plumage, Liberty, Verve, Cockade, Trooper, Orchid. Make your new costume thoroughly successful with these Kayser hose. Choose one of the lovely shades that harmonize best with your skin tones and your outfit.

### DURA-SOLE

Fine 3-thread chiffon that is flawlessly sheer, high-twist and snag-resistant. Lisle reinforcements. Pair . . . 1.15

### FIT-ALL-TOP

Made with stretching silk above the knee, to allow you perfect fit. Semi-service weight. Pair . . . 1.15

### BUDGET HOSIERY

Chiffon for dress—and semi-service for daytime. You should have both! Pair . . . 79c

### SANSRUM

Imagine a Stocking that looks lovely on your legs, and yet never a run. It's a mesh. Pair . . . 1.25

### ENGLISH LISLE

Canadian made. They're wonderfully fine, and feel grand—you can scarcely tell them from silk. Pair . . . 1.00

### VARIETY

The sheerest kind of Stockings. 2-thread chiffon. Service weight 7-thread "Crepe - Mist" with dulled surface. Pair . . . 1.00

—Hosiery, Street Floor at THE BAY

## For "Little Men" Wool Pullovers

Smart styles and color combinations, including "V" necks, crew necks, polo collars and zipper fronts. A wide range of colors, including the gayest of stripes. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Each . . . 1<sup>00</sup>

### WOOL SUITS

Fine jersey knit in 2-piece style with round necks or polo collars. Red and open blue. Sizes 2, 3 and 4. Price . . . 1.00

### DRILL JACKETS

Smartly styled on army and air force lines. Khaki and air force blue only. Sizes 4 to 8 years. Price . . . 1.00

Matching Gileggies, each, 29c

—Children's Wear, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

### Twill Shorts

Sturdy Shorts with Lastex backs, half belt in front with buckle. Plain colors and tweed mixtures. Sizes 3 to 7 years. Price . . . 1.00



New Feminine Touches for Easter in

## NECKWEAR



Dainty neckwear for coats, suits and dresses . . . our selection includes tailored and dressy styles. Have several pieces to add charm and versatility to your ensembles. They'll add that sought-after "sweet and feminine" touch to any outfit in your wardrobe.

### NEW, DAINTY NECKWEAR

Numerous attractive styles in squares, rounds, high and low-neck types . . . a wide selection, and all styled to add charm for Easter. Each . . . 1.98

A NEW

## Blouse for Easter



2<sup>98</sup>

Beautiful Blouses with long or short sleeves. Slub cottons, sheers and crepes in plain, striped and novelty designs. Dainty, feminine and classic tailored types. White and popular colors. Sizes 32 to 38.

—Blouses and Neckwear, Street Floor at THE BAY

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Calls for  
the "Right"  
Foundation!



## BE CERTAIN WITH A Gossard Corselette

5<sup>50</sup>

A new Gossard Corselette will comfortably mold and hold you in sleek lines to suit your Easter ensembles! Rayon satin combined with elastic batiste. Lightning Fastener Closure.

### "FLAIR" UPLIFT BRA

A beautifully-cut Bra of satin and net, with adjustable shoulder straps to achieve natural, graceful lines. Price . . . 1.00

Mrs. E. Lillian Gibbons, Stylist from the Gossard Company of Toronto, is in our Corset Department to help with your corset problems.

—Corsets, Fashion Floor at THE BAY



## GLOVES for Easter

Classic four-button slip-ons by Kayser. Novelty Kay-Spun, popular for its smooth, soft finish. Leather and fabric combination in all popular colors. Pair . . . 1.00

—Gloves, Street Floor at THE BAY

Yours for a  
Smarter . . .



## DRESSY COATS

25<sup>00</sup>

Look lovely, my lady! Fashion's edict for Easter! "The Bay" is ready to help . . . and at the same time considers your budget. Note this group of new spring coats in dressy styles, waiting to shower you with all the charm made possible by new styling details, careful tailoring, smart, becoming spring colors. Try on several . . . you'll be surprised . . . and pleased with the picture of how you'll look at Easter! Choose from crepes and boucles in navy, black and other new fashion shades. Sizes, 14 to 44.

—Women's Coats, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

Styled to Flatter You on Easter . . .

## Lovely Dresses

8<sup>95</sup>

Your new silhouette for Easter must be definitely soft, and the fashion details you're looking for are in this group of printed and plain rayon crepes . . . flared and pleated skirts, jabot necklines, bolero jackets, tucked yokes, front fullness, pleasing trims. Any one of these lovely dresses will see you fashionably dressed for Easter! Sizes 14 to 42.

—Women's Dresses, Fashion Floor at THE BAY



So Feminine—So Flattering . . .

## HATS for Easter Wear

3<sup>95</sup>

A wide array and every one just waiting to make you look like a dream of loveliness on Easter! Bonnets, sailors, bretons, casuals . . . large brims, small brims . . . bevelled and flowered . . . ribbons and feathers. Most everything you can think of . . . in straws and felts. Sizes 21 to 23.

—Millinery, Fashion Floor at THE BAY



## Wearing a SUIT This Easter?

Gleaming Satin

## Gowns

2<sup>98</sup>

They'll make your eyes sparkle, they're so lovely! Sheer and lace-trims . . . square or sweetheart necklines, and little puff or capelet sleeves. Tearose, white or blue. Small, medium and large sizes.

### Van Raalte Gowns

Tailored of famous Van Raalte rayon in petal, blue and white. Small, medium and large. Each, 2.25

PYJAMAS . . . 2.98

Then You'll Want a New

## Kayswish

## SLIP

1<sup>98</sup>

Rustling Taffeta Slips to wear under smart suits . . . they're made by Kayser, so you know they'll wear well and comfortably. Bias cut with a pleated frill at the hem. The gay colors are irresistible. Sizes 32 to 44. Kayswish Petticoats, each . . . 1.50

### Lingerie

By Van Raalte

Fine rayon in zig-zag stripe—smooth and sleek fitting. Vests, panties and bloomers in petal and white. Easy to launder—no ironing required. Price . . .

89c and 1.00



—Lingerie, Fashion Floor at THE BAY



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## Churchill Appeals for Eire Ports and Airfields

## Battle of Atlantic Key to Britain's Victory

LONDON (AP)—The text of Prime Minister Churchill's statement in the House of Commons today follows:

We are now able, and indeed required, to take a more general view of the war than when this resolution of thanks was first conceived.

The loss of Benghazi and the withdrawal imposed upon us by the German incursion into Cyrenaica are injurious chiefly on account of the valuable airfields around Benghazi which have now passed into enemy hands.

Apart from this important aspect we should have been content, in view of the danger which was growing in the Balkans, to have halted our original advance at Tobruk.

The rout of the Italians, however, made it possible to gain a good deal of ground easily and cheaply and it was thought worth while to do this, although in consequence of other obligations, already beginning to descend upon us, only comparatively light forces could be employed to hold what we had won.

## Nazi African Move Started Long Ago

The movement of German air forces and armored troops from Italy and Sicily to Tripoli had begun even before we took Benghazi and our submarines and aircraft have taken a steady toll of the transports carrying the German troops and vehicles.

But that has not prevented, and could not prevent, their building up a strong armored force on the African shore.

With this force they have made a rapid attack in greater strength than our commanders expected at so early a date and we have fallen back upon stronger positions and more defensible country.

I cannot attempt to forecast what the course of the fighting in Cyrenaica will be. It is clear, however, that military considerations alone must guide our generals, and that these must not in any way be complicated by what are called prestige values or considerations for public opinion.

## Hard Battle Looms For Egypt's Defence

Now that the Germans are using their armored strength in Cyrenaica we must expect hard and severe fighting, not only for the defence of Cyrenaica but for the defence of Egypt.

It is fortunate that the Italian collapse in Eritrea, Ethiopia and Italian Somaliland is liberating progressively very substantial forces and masses of transport to reinforce the Army of the Nile.

This sudden darkening of the scene in Cyrenaica in no way detracts from the merits of the brilliant campaigns which have destroyed the Italian Empire in northeast Africa.

Nor does it diminish our gratitude to the troops or our confidence in the commanders who led them. On the contrary we shall show that our hearts go out to our armies even more warmly when they are in hard action than when they are sailing forward in the flowing tide of success.

A fortnight ago I warned the public that an unbroken continuance of success could not be hoped for; that reverses as well as victories must be expected; that we must be ready, as indeed we always are ready, to take the rough with the smooth.

## Capture of Cheren—Cost British 4,000

Since I used this language other notable episodes have been added to those that had gone before. Cheren was stormed after hard fighting which cost us about 4,000 casualties.

The main resistance of the Italian army in Eritrea was overcome. Foremost in all this fighting in Eritrea were our Indian troops, who at all points and on all occasions sustained the martial reputation of the sons of Hindustan.

After the fall of Cheren the army advanced. Asmara has surrendered, the port of Massawa is in our hands. The Red Sea has been virtually cleared of enemy warships, which is a matter of considerable and even far-reaching convenience. Harar has fallen and our troops have entered and taken charge of Addis Ababa.

## All Italians in Ethiopia Doomed

The Duke of Aosta's army has retreated into the mountains where it is being attended upon by the patriot forces of Ethiopia. The complete destruction or capture of all Italian forces in Abyssinia, with corresponding immediate relief to our operations else-

where, may be reasonably expected.

Besides these land operations, the Royal Navy under Admiral Cunningham, splendidly aided by the Fleet Air Arm and the Royal Air Force, have gained the important sea battle of Matapan—decisively breaking Italian naval power in the Mediterranean.

When we look back upon the forlorn position in which we were left in the Middle East by the French collapse, and when we remember that not only were our forces in the Nile Valley outnumbered by four or five to one by the Italian armies that we could not contemplate without anxiety the defence of Nairobi, of Khartoum, of Cairo, Alexandria, Jerusalem and the Suez Canal, and that this situation has been marvellously transformed, and we have taken more Italian prisoners than we had troops in the country, that the British Empire has fought alone and conquered alone except for the aid of the gallant free French and Belgian forces who, although few in number have borne their part—when all this is recalled amid the unrelenting pressure of events, I feel confident that I can commit this resolution of the House, and that it will be most heartily and enthusiastically acclaimed.

**Germany Preparing Long in Balkans**

I now turn from Cyrenaica and Abyssinia to the formidable struggle which has followed the German invasion of the Balkan peninsula. We have watched with growing concern the German absorption of Hungary, the occupation of Rumania and the seduction and occupation of Bulgaria.

Step by step we have seen this movement of German military power to the east and southeast of Europe. A remorseless accumulation of German armored and motorized divisions and of aircraft has been in progress in all these countries for months.

And at length we find that the Greeks and the Yugoslavs, nations and states which never wished to take part in the war, neither of which was capable of doing the slightest injury to Germany, must now fight to the death for their freedom and for the lands of their fathers.

**Greek Behavior Metriculously Correct**

Until Greece was suddenly and treacherously invaded at the behest of the base Italian dictator, she had observed metriculous neutrality. It may be that the sentiments of her people were on our side, but nothing could have been more correct than the behavior of her government.

We had no contacts or engagements of a military character with the Greek government. Although there were islands like Crete of the highest naval consequence to us, and although we had given Greece our guarantee against aggression, we abstained from the slightest intrusion upon her. It was only when she appealed to us for aid against the Italians that we gave whatever support in the air and in supplies was possible.

All this time the Germans continued to give friendly assistance to Greece and to toy with the idea of a new commercial treaty. German high officials, both in Athens and Berlin, expressed disapproval of the Italian invasion.

**Bulgarian Acts Called Traitorous**

From the beginning of December the movements of German forces through Hungary and Rumania towards Bulgaria became apparent to all. More than two months ago, by the traitorous connivance of the Bulgarian king and government, advance parties of the German air force in plain clothes gradually took possession of Bulgarian airfields.

Many thousands of German airmen, soldiers and political police were ensconced in key positions before the actual announcement of the accession of Bulgaria to the Axis was made. German troops then began to pour into Bulgaria in very large numbers. One of their objectives was plainly Salonika, which I may mention they entered at 4 o'clock this morning.

It has never been our policy nor our interest to see the war carried into the Balkan peninsula. At the end of February we sent Eden and Dill to the Middle East to see if anything could be done to form a united defensive front in the Balkans.

## Combined Front Would Have Strength

They went to Athens, and to Ankara and would have gone to Belgrade but they were refused

permission by Prince Paul's government. If these three threatened states had stood together they could have had at their disposal 60 or 70 divisions, which with a combined plan and prompt united action taken, might have deterred them altogether and must in any case have delayed them a long time, having regard to the mountainous and broken character of the country and the limits of communications.

Although we were anxious to promote such a defensive front, by which alone the peace of the Balkans could be maintained, we were determined not to urge upon the Greeks, already at grips with the Italians, any course contrary to their desires. The support which we can give to the peoples fighting for freedom in the Balkans and in Turkey, or ready to fight, is necessarily limited at present, and we did not wish to take the responsibility of pressing the Greeks to engage in a conflict with the new terrible foe gathering upon their borders.

## Greeks Ready To Fight to Death

However, on the first occasion Eden and Dill met the Greek King and the Greek Prime Minister, the latter declared spontaneously on behalf of his government that Greece was resolved at all costs to defend her freedom and native soil against any aggressor, and that even if left wholly unsupported by Great Britain or by Turkey and Yugoslavia, they would remain faithful to their alliance with Great Britain, which came into play at the opening of the Italian invasion, and would fight to the death against both Italy and Germany.

This being so, our duty was clear. We were bound in honor to give them all the aid in our power if they were resolved to face the might and fury of the Huns. We had no doubts but that they should share their ordeal, and that the soldiers of the British Empire must stand in the line with them.

## Commanders Saw Sound Military Plan

We were appraised by our generals on the spot, Dill and Wavell and Papagos—both victorious commanders-in-chief—that a sound military plan, giving good prospects of success, could be made. Of course, in all these matters there is hazard. In this case, as anyone can see, without particularizing unduly, there was for us a double hazard.

It remains to be seen how well these opposing risks and duties have been judged. But of this I am sure, that there is no less likely way of winning a war than to adhere pedantically to the maxim of "safety first."

Therefore, early in March we made a military agreement with the Greeks, and the considerable movement of British and Imperial troops and supplies began. I cannot enter into details of, while this widespread battle is going on, attempt to discuss either the situation or prospects.

## Jugoslavs Did Not See Fate in Store

I, therefore, turn to the story of Yugoslavia. This valiant, steadfast people, whose history for centuries has been a struggle for life and who owe their survival to their mountains and to their fighting qualities, made every endeavour to placate the Nazi monster.

If they had made common cause with the Greeks when the Greeks hurled back the Italian invaders, the complete destruction of the Italian armies in Albania could have been certainly and swiftly achieved long before the German forces could have reached the theatre of war.

Even in January or February this extraordinary military opportunity was still open. But Prince Paul's government, under the influence of so many small countries, not only observed the strictest neutrality and refused even to enter into effective staff conversations with Greece or with Turkey or with us, but hugged the delusion that they could preserve their independence by patching up some sort of pact with Hitler.

**German Poison Technique Used**

Once again we see the odious German poison technique employed. In this case, however, it was to the government rather than to the nation that the dose and inoculations were administered.

The process was not hurried. Why should it be? All the time the German armies and air force were entering and massing in Bulgaria. From a few handfuls of tourists admiring the beauties of



PRIME MINISTER CHURCHILL

"... No less likely way of winning a war than to adhere pedantically to the maxim of 'safety first.'"

the Bulgarian landscape in the wintry weather, the German forces grew to 7, 12, 20, and finally, to 25 divisions.

Presently the weak and unfortunate Prince and afterwards his ministers were summoned, like others before them, to Hitler's footstool and pact was signed which would have given Germany complete control, not only over the body, but over the soul of the Yugoslav nation.

## Last-minute Revolt When Peril in Sight

Then at last the people of Yugoslavia saw their peril, and with a universal spasm of revolt swept from power those who were leading them into a shameful tutelage and resolved at the 11th hour to guard their freedom and their honor with their lives.

A boa constrictor who had already covered his prey with his foul saliva and then had it suddenly wrested from his coils would be in an amiable mood compared with Hitler, Goering, Ribbentrop and the rest of the Nazi gang.

A frightful vengeance was vowed against the Southern Slavs. Rapid, perhaps hurried re-dispositions were made of German forces and German diplomacy.

Hungary was offered large territorial gains to become the accomplice in the assault upon a friendly neighbor with whom she had just signed a solemn pact of friendship and nonaggression. Count Teleki preferred to take his own life rather than join in such a deed of shame.

## City of Belgrade Laid in Ashes

A heavy forward movement of the German armies, already gathered in Austria, was set in motion through Hungary to the northern frontier of Yugoslavia. A ferocious howl of hatred from the supreme miscreant was the signal for the actual invasion.

The open city of Belgrade was laid in ashes and a tremendous drive by the German armored forces in Bulgaria was launched westward into southern Serbia.

With it no longer being worth while to keep up the farce of love for Greece, other powerful forces rolled forward into Greece where they were at once unflinchingly encountered and have already sustained more than one bloody repulse at the hands of the heroic Greek army.

The British and Imperial troops have not up to the present been engaged. Further than this, I cannot attempt to carry the tale. I therefore turn for a few moments to the larger aspects of the war.

I must first speak of France and of the French people, to

every hardship in our power. When, however, it comes to thousands of tons of rubber and other vital war material which pass, as we know, directly to the German armies, we are bound even at the risk of collisions with French warships at sea to enforce our rights as recognized by international law.

There is another action into which Vichy might be led by the dictation of Germany, namely, sending powerful war vessels which are unfinished or even damaged from the French African ports to ports in metropolitan France now under German control or which may at very short notice fall under their control.

Such movements of French war vessels from Africa to France would alter the balance of naval power and would thus prejudice the interests of U.S.A. as well as our own. I trust that such incidents will be avoided, or if they are not avoided, the consequences which will follow from them will be understood and fairly judged by the French nation for whose cause we are contending no less than for our own.

## R.A.F. Growing In Relative Strength

I am glad to be able to report a continued and marked improvement in the relative strength of the R.A.F. compared with that of Germany. Also I draw attention to the remarkable increase in its actual strength and in its bombing capacity and also a marked augmentation in the power and size of the bombs which we shall be using in even greater number.

The sorties which we are now accustomed to make upon German harbors and cities are increasing both in the number of aircraft employed and in the weight of the discharge with every month that passes. In some cases we have already in our raids exceeded in severity "anything which a single town has in a single night experienced over here. At the same time, there is a sensible improvement in our means of dealing with German raids upon this island.

## Petain's Declaration Cordially Welcomed

I welcomed cordially the declaration of Marshal Petain that France would never act against her former allies or go to war with her former allies. Such a course so insensate, so unnatural and on lower ground so improvident, might well—though it is not for me to speak for any government but our own—such a course might alienate from France for long years the sympathy and support of the American democracy. I am sure that the French nation would with whatever means of expression are still open to them, repudiate such a shameful course.

## Battle of Atlantic Is Main Issue

But, after all, everything turns upon the Battle of the Atlantic which is proceeding with growing intensity on both sides. Our losses in ships and tonnage are very heavy and, vast as are the shipping resources we control, these losses could not continue indefinitely without seriously affecting our war effort and our means of subsistence.

It is no answer to say that we have inflicted upon the Germans and Italians a far higher proportion of losses, compared with the size of their merchant fleet, and that our world-wide traffic is maintained. We have, in fact, sunk, captured or seen scuttled over 2,500,000 tons of German and Italian shipping. We have lost nearly 4,000,000 tons of British tonnage. Against that we have brought under the British flag over 3,000,000 tons of foreign or newly-constructed tonnage, not counting considerable Allied tonnage under our control.

## Losses Evened Now But Future Serious

Therefore, at the moment our enormous fleets sail the seas without any serious or obvious diminution so far as numbers of ships is concerned. But what is to happen in the future if losses continue at the present rate? Where are we to find another 3,000,000 or 4,000,000 tons to fill the gaps which are being created and to carry us on through 1942? We are building merchant ships upon a very considerable scale and to the utmost of our ability. We are doing our utmost to strenuous effort to repair the large number of vessels damaged by the enemy and the still larger number damaged by winter gales. We are doing our utmost to accelerate the turn around of our ships, remembering that even 10 days' saving on turn around of our immense fleet is equal to reinforcement of 5,000,000 tons of imports in a single year.

## American Prodigy Like 1918 Required

All the energy and contrivance of which we are capable have been and will be devoted to these purposes and we are already conscious of substantial results. But when all is said and done the only way in which we can get through the year 1942 without a very sensible contraction of our war efforts is by another gigantic building of merchant ships in the United States similar to that prodigy of output accomplished by the Americans in 1918.

All this has been in train in the United States for many months past. There has now been a very large extension of the program and we have assurance that several millions of tons of American newly-built shipping will be available for the common struggle during the course of the next year. Here, then, is the assurance upon which we may count for the staying power without which it will not be possible to save the world from the criminals who assail its future.

But the Battle of the Atlantic must be won not only in the factories and shipyards but upon the blue water. I am confident that we shall succeed in coping with the air attacks which are made upon the shipping in the western and northwestern approaches.

## Hopes Eire Will Provide Ports

I hope eventually the inhabitants of the sister isle, Eire, may realize that it is as much in their interests as it is in ours that their ports and airfields should be available for naval and air forces which must operate ever further into the Atlantic.

But while I am hopeful we shall gain mastery over the air attacks upon our shipping, the U-boats and the surface raiders range ever farther to the westward, even nearer to the shores of the United States, and constitute a menace which must be overcome if the life of Britain is not to be endangered and if the purposes to which the government and people of the United States have devoted themselves are not to be frustrated. We shall, of course, make every effort in our power.

## Kiel Blasted Again

LONDON (CP)—Powerful forces of Royal Air Force bombers raided the German naval base at Kiel again last night, also attacked Bremerhaven and Emden and bombed oil tanks at Rotterdam, the Air Ministry announced today.

Aircraft of the fighter command also carried out offensive patrols over airdromes in northern France.

The raid on Kiel, aided by favorable weather, was described as "even more impressive" than the assault on the preceding night. The Air Ministry said the port was "heavily and successfully attacked."

The night's forays cost the R.A.F. five planes.

The defeat of the U-boats and of surface raiders has been proved to be entirely a question of adequate escorts for our convoys.

## Shame If Materials Sunk En Route

It will indeed be disastrous if the great masses of weapons, munitions and instruments of war of all kinds made with the toil and skill of American hands at the cost of the United States and loaned to us under the Aid-to-Britain Bill were to sink into the depths of the ocean and never reach the hard-pressed fighting line.

That would be lamentable to us and I cannot believe it would be found acceptable to the proud and resolute people of the U.S.A.

Indeed, I am authorized to say that 10 United States revenue cutters, fast vessels of about 2,000 tons displacement with a fine armament and a wide range of endurance, have already been placed at our disposal by the American government and will soon be in action. These vessels, originally designed to enforce prohibition, will now serve an even higher purpose.

It is of course very hazardous to try to forecast in what direction or directions Hitler will employ his military machine in the present year. He may at any time attempt the invasion of this island. That is an ordeal from which we shall not shrink.

## Ukraine, Caucasus Next on Hitler's List

At the present moment he is driving fast through the Balkans and at any moment he may turn upon Turkey. But there are many signs which point to an attempt to secure the granary of the Ukraine and the oilfields of the Caucasus as a German means of gaining the resources wherewith to wear down the English-speaking world.

All this is speculation, but I will say one thing more: Once we have gained the Battle of the Atlantic and are sure of the constant flow of American supplies which are being prepared for us, then, however far Hitler may go or whatever new millions and scores of millions he may lay in his hands, we who are armed with the sword of retributive justice shall be on his track."



SCENE OF TOUGH FIGHT—Aerial photograph taken by Royal Air Force fliers during bombing attack on Cheren, where 25,000 Italians held out until the airmen came. A stick of bombs can be seen bursting among buildings and tukles (native huts). Prime Minister Churchill today said British forces suffered 4,000 casualties at Cheren.



# WITH THE FORCES

## High Honor for Canadian Flier

Flying Officer Kenneth Crispin Dundas, R.A.F., nephew of Hon. R. C. Dundas, at present visiting Victoria from Saskatoon, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, according to press dispatches reaching here today from London.

F.O. Dundas is a grandson of Viscount Meville. His father is Hon. Cospatrie Dundas of Pelly, Saskatchewan, and he is a nephew of Sir Charles Dundas, who left the governorship of the Bahamas last year when the Duke of Windsor was appointed there. Sir Charles is now governor and commander-in-chief of Uganda.

Dundas, whose cousin, Miss Marion Dundas, is dietician at Kresge's, enlisted in the Royal Canadian Air Force in 1936, and was commissioned in the Royal Air Force in 1938.

## Atlantic Seaboard Bristles With Steel

HALIFAX (CP)—Intently, the man in uniform leaned over his desk and answered the reporter's question: "Have you perfected your defences?"

"My boy," he corrected, "in this work your job is never finished." With that thought in mind, 57-year-old Maj.-Gen. W. H. P. Elkins has molded—and is molding—the defences of that part of North America which may well be called on to withstand the first shock of any enemy attempt at invasion of this hemisphere.

The Maritime resident knows that the Atlantic seaboard, as a strategic outpost, fairly bristles with cannon and hard steel.

His own eyes tell him anti-aircraft defences—protect-important cities and communication lines; that the British Commonwealth air training plan has at least become a big thing "down east."

In a certain port town, the most striking sight is a convoy pushing off to Britain with supplies and the people are used to seeing men and ships of many lands, united in warring for a common cause. Norwegian seamen are training at Lunenburg, N.S., for active naval duty. Netherlands warcraft operate out of Atlantic harbors.

## Canadian Soldiers Kill Elephant

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND (CP)—A peer of the realm now in the Canadian Army and a Toronto officer shot an elephant in the Canadian defence area. They gave the corps its best laugh of the week. The elephant was ailing in a zoo and keepers appealed to Canadian corps headquarters for someone to shoot it.

Only person who knew anything about such animals was Lord Tweedsmuir, a captain at headquarters, who has hunted in Africa. So the son of the late Governor-General of Canada called on Capt. Bev. Matthews of Toronto for aid. First they thought the job would take an anti-tank rifle and Lieut. Frank Laird of Winnipeg got one ready.

Finally Tweedsmuir and Matthews decided on an ordinary rifle and in four shots they finished the elephant called Rosy. Reward for the humane gunner: A bottle of champagne, cakes and two huge china cups and saucers, with figures of monkeys—not elephants—in the design.

## Paul Rowe Officer In Ack Ack Battery

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND (CP)—Latest addition to the Royal Canadian Artillery in England, gunners of the light anti-aircraft regiment, are a fiery bunch of men, itching to splatter Nazi planes with shells from their long-barrelled Bofors guns.

Take the story of Lieut.-Bdr. W. J. Russell of Toronto. There are plenty like him in the new batteries, training in England before going into the defence zones with Canadian corps.

Last spring Russell was with the merchant marine, aboard a tanker operated in European waters by an American oil firm. When France was defeated he was at Brest and his ship was raided by Nazi dive bombers. They got out of there and at Le Havre, Bordeaux and several other French ports they came under German air attack.

The bombings made up Russell's mind about this war and when he got back to Canada he



But if I drop them there won't be any need of saluting!

## Trades of Value When Peace Comes

Young British Columbians, anxious to serve their country and learn a trade that will be of value in civilian life, are showing interest in the Royal Canadian Air Force's call for radio mechanics.

Already many have signified their intention of taking up this branch of the service. Any man, physically fit, between 18 and 45, with junior matriculation, may enter the R.C.A.F. for training as a radio mechanic. He will be given 13 weeks' study at the provincial university nearest his training camp, and will probably then be sent overseas.

## Speed Commissions For Reservists

Three systems by which a junior officer in the Canadian reserve army can obtain his qualifications are explained by military headquarters. These systems follow the recent ruling that all officers must "come up from the ranks." In the reserve army the period in the ranks must be at least 30 days. This period, counting one night a week drill as a half-day and including a two weeks' summer camp, would be spread over approximately a year, it was learned.

A member of the reserve army who desires to be an officer may, after serving the minimum period in the ranks, proceed to an officer's training centre for a 10-weeks' course. If successful, he is then qualified for either reserve or active armies, headquarters pointed out. This 10-weeks' course is divided into four weeks of basic training—common to all arms—and six weeks of specialized training.

Another system by which second lieutenants in the reserve army may qualify, is by taking four-weeks' basic training courses under the auspices of their own unit, and then, if successful, proceeding to an officers' training centre for an additional six weeks' specialized training.

Because many reserve officers, with full-time civilian jobs, would find it difficult to be absent for 10 weeks, a third system is provided, much similar to the old one by which reserve army officers obtained their qualifications. These men, headquarters explained, will take two papers—one "common to all arms" and the other "special to the arm."

If successful, they will complete their qualifications at a two-weeks' course at an officers' training centre—not at a two-week militia camp, as formerly. This system does not qualify a man for an active service commission, headquarters explained.

Under this new set-up, active service units will not look after the qualifying of their own officers. After being selected from the ranks of the active army, a man will take 12 weeks at an officers' training centre, after which he will be a qualified first lieutenant. Officers' training centres are at Victoria and Brockville.

## PUPILS' RECITAL

Monthly pupils' recital, sponsored by the Victoria Music Teachers' Association, was held on Tuesday evening at the Dominion Academy of Music. Miss Ethel James, president, was in the chair, and there was a representation from 12 studios.

The program of piano, vocal and violin numbers was given by the following students: Flano Stanley Bell, Tommy Jones, Joy Bugshaw, Peggy Lou Parker, Thobae Hardwick, Lorraine Cornish, Thirley Duck, Cecile Townsend, Irene Carter, Katherine Murphy, Maurice Murphy, Carol Thomas, Donna McCabe, Nancy Falk, Margaret Husband, Kathleen Keeble and Fred Natrass.

Violin—Ray Orchard and Joan Croft. Vocal—Mrs. R. Canova, Sylvia O'Hara and Allison Craig. The accompanists were Misses Ethel James, Dorothy Francis, Alexandra McGavin and Irene Carter.

## B.C. Parent-Teacher Sessions Next Week

Parent-Teacher Association delegates from various parts of the province as well as distinguished figures in the United States field will gather next Wednesday in the city for the opening of the British Columbia Parent-Teacher Federation convention in the Empress Hotel.

The meetings of the growing organization will be the first of their kind held in Victoria.

A varied and full program, including addresses and round-table discussions based on the convention theme "Today's Child, Tomorrow's Citizen," has been arranged for the three-day convention which should find a high entertainment level on Thursday evening—"Victoria Night."

Following registration of delegates from 8 to 9.30 Wednesday morning, the opening ceremonies will start with an invocation by Dean S. H. Elliott and addresses of welcome from a representative of Mayor Andrew McGavin, F. G. Mulliner, chairman of the city school board; Alderman P. E. George, president of the B.C. School Trustees' Association; Paul Whiteley, president of the B.C. Teachers' Federation; and Mrs. George Ingledew, vice-president of the Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council.

## KEYNOTE ADDRESS

A keynote address on the convention theme will be delivered by Hon. G. M. Weir, provincial Minister of Education.

The credentials and registration committee will submit its report, and amendments to the constitution will be discussed, prior to the luncheon adjournment.

Wednesday afternoon's program will open with group singing, followed by presentation of resolutions and a study period under Dr. G. M. Shrum, director of the Department of Extension, U.B.C.

Dr. W. G. Black will present the address at the convention banquet set for 7. Dr. Henrietta Anderson will be chairman at the function.

Conveners of various committees will be given a chance to meet those of other associations at the "Early Bird" breakfast in the Duke of Kent room at the Thursday morning activities start at 7.

## TO HOLD CLINIC

A P.T.A. clinic will follow at 9, prior to an outline of the B.C. Parent-Teacher Federation accomplishments by Mrs. A. E. Delmage, historian, an hour later.

Bishop Cody will conduct the invocation and reports will be submitted.

In the forenoon forum, starting at 9.45, Mrs. M. D. Wilkinson, regional president of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers of the United States, will lead discussion.

Officers will be elected between 10.45 and noon, when Mrs. T. Barnard will act as chairman of a luncheon in the Tudor Grill at which Capt. Elmore Philpott will speak.

More resolutions will be considered in the afternoon prior to a symposium entitled "The Ramps We Watch," which will start at 3. Contributing to it will be Dr. G. Davidson, Director of Social Welfare; Miss E. Layson, dietitian at the Jubilee Hospital; Inspector Albert Sullivan; Dr. G. F. Amyot, provincial health officer, and Dr. A. E. Whitehouse.

Following another session of resolutions, the convention will adjourn until 8 in the evening for "Victoria Night," the entertainment for which has been arranged by Mrs. G. W. Pottinger.

## PROGRAM PLANNING

Program planning will be discussed at Friday morning's "Early Bird" session, with Mrs. D. Manzer, Duncan; Mrs. McEachern, Port Alberni; Mrs. Thompson, Port Moody; Mrs. L. J. Armstrong, Richmond; Mrs. MacMillan, Ioco; Mrs. R. Hagen, Rossland; Mrs. A. Kievl, Wardner, and Mrs. F. Bates, Kimberley, contributing.

The morning will be completed with presentation of reports and the old and new executives will be honored at the noon luncheon.

Following brief resolutions consideration the convention will close and delegates will drive to Craigflower School, oldest remaining school in British Columbia and the scene of the organization of the first Parent-Teacher Association in the province.

Various radio programs have been arranged in connection with the convention. U.S. visitors, in addition to Mrs. Wilkinson, will include Mrs. J. S. Stewart, president of the Wash-

## Calgary Man Buys Ganges Property

GANGES—The house and property fronting on Ganges Harbor, formerly owned by Mrs. Holroyd Paul of Vancouver, has been purchased by J. D. Drumheller of Calgary.

The monthly meeting of Ganges Chapter I.O.O.F. was held at Ganges Inn, Mrs. Cecil Springford presiding. Letters of thanks

were read from men serving in the navy and merchant marine for gifts of Indian sweaters. The Provincial Chapter forwarded a request from the National Chapter for recognition of St. George's Day as a "Salute to Britain." Suggestion that members hold a united service in Mahon Hall April 27, when Canadian Legion, Guides, Cubs and other organizations be asked to attend was favorably received. The regent stated that the chapter was providing sheets for the I.O.O.F.

ward in the hospital. The treasurer reported \$82.49 in the general fund and \$53.06 in the war fund account. The amount raised by the tag day for the national drive for war funds was \$173.

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# Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

DEALINGS between local basketballers and the British Columbia Association usually produce one sour note during the course of the season and the recently-closed campaign was no exception. We refer to the deal received by Wally Yeamans and his Unities. The local skipper and his gals have done little squawking and it was only after considerable persuasion that Yeamans told us the tale.

As you fans will remember the Unities captured the British Columbia senior B women's championship. By the way it was their third provincial title in five years. Not a bad record. After Vancouver I.X.L. had sneaked through to the senior A title, being given the scare of their lives by Jack Taylor's Cardinals the mainlanders were challenged by the Unities for the right to represent the province in the western Canada playdowns. The senior B winners have the right to challenge.

The big wigs of the B.C. Association frowned on the proposed challenge and ruled the playoff out. Too big a financial risk was the reason given. Yeamans turned around and offered to pay all the expenses of his team to make the trip to Vancouver for the series. The mainlanders came back with the argument there was not sufficient time to play the games. That still also failed to hold water as the I.X.L. have been inactive since beating the Cardinals two weeks ago.

Yet this same I.X.L. team is the one that last season won the senior B crown and challenged the Vancouver Westerns, the A titleholders, and got the series.

## Louis Has Worries

## Musto Stays Upright

ST. LOUIS (AP)—On the basis of his showing against squat Tony Musto, heavyweight champion Joe Louis has a mighty rough summer ahead of him. Musto entered the ring last night unharmed and unscathed. He left it eight and a half rounds later at Referee Art Donovan's orders, bloody but unharmed except for a cut over the right eye. The stubby Chicago Italian was the fifth straight victim fed to the champion in his stop-a-month tour, and it was an unimpressive and perplexed Louis who needed almost a half hour of action to win.

Great in the past against good foes, Louis was even below the calibre he displayed two weeks ago in disposing of big Abe Simon at Detroit. Musto's bobbing and weaving made the champion miss frequently. The Chicagoan fought in such a crouch his head was almost at a right angle with his belt buckle, and he appeared as though he were busy all the while looking at his shoelaces. Despite the time Louis consumed there never was any doubt as to the ultimate winner of the bout that lured 17,472 customers who paid a gross of \$52,993.75 to attend a ceremony a majority did not expect to go beyond the third round.

The champion, sluggish at 203½ pounds, punched Tony to the floor in the third, but Referee Donovan got only to "one" before the challenger, who played light 199½ despite the six-inch difference in height, was back in his half-crouch.

For the remainder of the frame Louis stood over him like a Miss.

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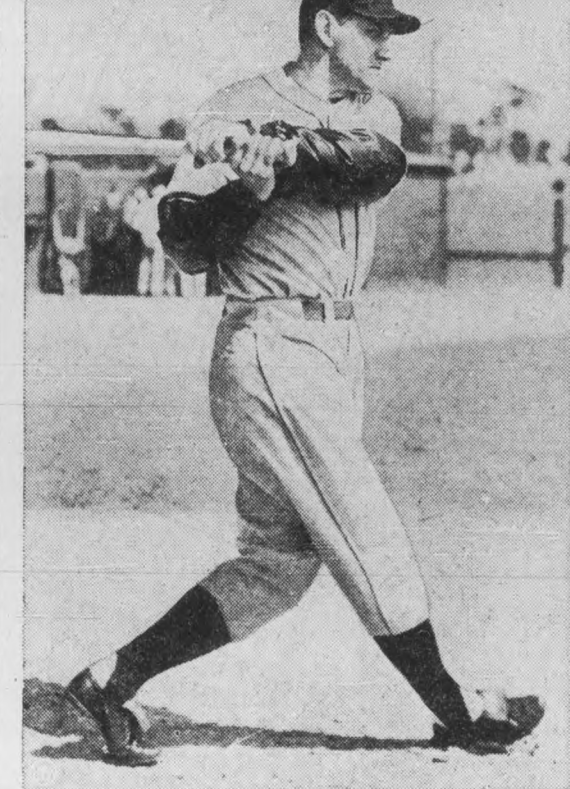
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But that was a case of two Vancouver clubs and not a Victoria aggregation. It makes a big difference. Over the last five years the Unities have a better record than I.X.L. Outside of the defeats by the Westerns last year, the Unities are the only club with a victory over the new champions. And at the time the Unities won the game the respective players of the two teams were practically the same as now.

And here's the laughable part. Yeamans has been one of the hardest workers for the B.C. Association on the island. Again and again he rose to the defence of the provincial officials when others were hurling criticism and calling the Vancouver leaders anything but gentlemen. Wally has been in plenty of hot water over his stand. But the worm has turned. Yeamans having been bitten by the dog he fondled remarked today: "It's a long lane that has no turning. Wait until the next time the B.C. Association needs my assistance to help them over a bumpy spot. I'll know just what to say."

From this corner it looks like just another case of a Victoria team being given the cold shoulder by so-called neutral Vancouver officials. We are getting tired of writing about raw deals suffered by local clubs and athletes at the hands of mainland leaders. It is time sport on the island got together and handled its own affairs without having to rely on decisions handed down by partial Vancouverites. It has been proven time and again Vancouver officials and players have little love for any aggregation that comes from the capital city. So let's get busy and go it on our own.



This may be Charley Gehringer's last year in baseball, so take a good look at rhythmic and Detroit's perfect player. After 17 seasons, Gehringer will have to lose more than step to be replaced at second base for Tigers.

## Table Tennis

Victoria players made practically a clean sweep of the featured singles events as play advanced to finals and semifinals in the western Canada table tennis championships last night. New champions will be crowned at the Crystal Garden tonight with the opening matches set for 7.

Semifinals of the men's singles find three Victorians, Wilcox Brown-Cave, city champion; Vic Tully and Bill Cotton, still in the running, along with Jim Benny, Vancouver. Tully and Cotton survived five-set quarterfinal matches against prairie stars. The former put out J. Röllinger, Edmonton, 9-12, 21-15, 17-21, 21-15, 21-11, while Cotton defeated J. Brown, Calgary, Alberta champion, 21-8, 15-21, 21-18, 17-21, 21-10. To reach the last four, Benny won in straight sets from Ray Dawson, 21-18, 25-23, 21-19. In the fourth match Brown-Cave eliminated A. Elworthy, 21-15, 21-18, 21-11.

In tonight's semi Benny will battle Tully, while Brown-Cave will go up against Cotton. Semifinals of the women's singles produced some thrilling play as the winners were carried to five sets. Miss Barbara Mackay, defending champion, was really extended to defeat Miss J. Boyce, Edmonton, 18-21, 21-14, 21-18, 21-18. Miss Ruth Payne won from Mrs. L. Greenwood in an all-Victoria match, 21-19, 16-21, 21-12, 21-16, 21-18.

First champion was crowned last night when Henry Jarvis captured the veterans' singles from Bob Crombie, defending champion, in straight games. Results follow:

**MEN'S SINGLES**  
Second Round  
J. Brown (Calgary) won from Bud Smalley (Vancouver), 12-21, 21-8, 18-21, 21-10, 21-16.  
W. Cotton won from L. Greenwood, 21-18, 16-21, 21-18, 21-15, 21-10.  
W. Brown-Cave won from E. Scott, 21-12, 21-18, 21-10.  
T. Tully won from T. Hicks (Calgary), 25-23, 19-21, 21-13, 16-21, 21-15.  
R. Dawson won from J. Brown (Calgary), 21-18, 21-18, 17-21, 21-19, 21-10.  
J. Benny (Vancouver) won from R. Hicks, 21-13, 21-18, 12-21, 21-10.  
W. Cotton won from W. Boyce (Edmonton), 21-18, 21-16, 17-21, 21-10.

**Quarterfinals**  
W. Brown-Cave won from A. Elworthy, 21-15, 21-18, 21-11.  
V. Tully won from J. Röllinger (Edmonton), 9-21, 21-15, 17-21, 21-15, 21-11.  
J. Benny (Vancouver) won from R. Dawson, 21-18, 25-23, 21-19.  
W. Cotton won from J. Brown (Calgary), 21-8, 15-21, 21-18, 17-21, 21-10.

**Women's Singles**  
Semifinals  
Miss B. Mackay won from Miss J. Boyce (Edmonton), 18-21, 21-14, 21-18, 21-18.  
Miss R. Payne won from Mrs. L. Greenwood, 21-19, 16-21, 21-18, 21-16, 21-18.

**Women's Doubles**  
Semifinals  
Miss P. Colquhoun (Vancouver) and J. Bennett (Vancouver) won from Misses K. Elton and G. Payne, 21-17, 21-17, 21-13.

**Mixed Doubles**  
Quarterfinals  
L. Greenwood and A. Elworthy won from T. Inkster and J. Röllinger (Edmonton), 21-19, 12-21, 21-16, 21-15.  
T. Hicks and J. Brown (Calgary) won from D. Elworthy and E. Trudel (Edmonton), 19-21, 21-18, 21-14, 21-18.  
Bud Smalley and J. Benny (Vancouver) won from W. Brown-Cave and R. Dawson, 21-17, 21-16, 18-21, 17-21, 25-23.  
V. Tully and W. Cotton won from Mrs. L. Greenwood and W. Brown-Cave, 22-20, 21-11.

**Mixed Doubles**  
Quarterfinals  
Miss W. Payne and A. Scott won from Miss P. Colquhoun (Vancouver) and J. Bennett (Vancouver), 11-21, 21-17, 21-15, 21-16.  
Miss B. Mackay and V. Tully won from Miss J. Payne and R. Dawson, 21-17, 21-19, 22-24, 19-21, 21-17.  
Miss R. Payne and W. Cotton won from Mrs. L. Greenwood and W. Brown-Cave, 21-16, 21-13, 19-21, 21-19.  
Miss J. Boyce and W. Boyce (Edmonton) won from Miss K. Elton and J. Röllinger (Edmonton), 21-11, 14-21, 21-11, 17-21, 21-12.

**Semifinals**  
Miss B. Mackay and V. Tully won from Miss W. Payne and A. Scott, 20-22, 21-11, 21-10, 14-21, 21-11.  
Miss J. Boyce and W. Boyce (Edmonton) won from Miss R. Payne and W. Cotton, 21-23, 21-18, 21-17, 13-21, 21-14.

**Veterans' Singles**  
Semifinals  
R. Crombie won from W. McGregor.

## Seattle Drops 10-Inning Tilt

One thing you can note this early in the Pacific Coast baseball race is the closeness of the games. The majority of wins have been by one-run margins.

The Hollywood Stars, early occupants of the league cellar without a victory to their credit, seem to be especially susceptible to shoestring decisions. They dropped their third straight close one, 8 to 7, to San Diego at the latter's park yesterday.

Sacramento remained undefeated by trimming Portland 9 to 2 before a home-town crowd on four-hit pitching by George Munger, who got brilliant batting support from his mates.

At Los Angeles, Jess Flores pitched the Angels to a 3 to 2 win over Seattle in 10 innings, limiting the defending champions to five hits while the home club was pounding out 15 off left Les Webber and Ira Scribner.

Harvey Storey's pinch single with the bases full sent in the winning run.

Oakland ran up three runs on the San Francisco Seals in the first inning and took the game 5 to 4 at Oakland. Hub Kittle was responsible for the Oakland outburst, and was yanked late in the inning for Al Epperly, who finished the game.

**R. H. E.**  
Seattle..... 2 5 0  
Los Angeles..... 2 15 1  
Batteries—Webber, Scribner and Campbell; Flores and Collins.  
San Francisco..... 4 10 1  
Oakland..... 5 10 1  
Batteries—Kittle, Epperly and Ogdowski; Partee; Buxton and R. Raimondi.  
Hollywood..... 7 8 2  
San Diego..... 8 13 0  
Batteries—Gay, Olsen, Dasso and Brenzel; Johnson, Brewer and Detore.  
Portland..... 2 4 3  
Sacramento..... 9 10 2  
Batteries—Conger, Lieber and Hawkins; Munger and Grilk.

## Men's Championship At Oak Bay Links

Qualifying round for the men's club championship will be played on April 20 at the Victoria Golf Club. The 16 competitors returning the lowest gross scores will be drawn for match play, the defeated eight to form the first flight. There will be other flights according to the number of entries.

The winner of the championship will receive the Harvey Combe bowl.

Matches in the championship must be played in singles, while matches in flights will be played on handicap.

First rounds in the championship and flights will be played on April 27; second and third rounds on May 4; finals on May 11.

All matches will be 18 holes except the final for the championship which will be 36 holes.

There will be no draw for the qualifying round. Competitors will make post entries with the secretary, choose their opponents, arrange for their starting time and must play in singles.

## St. Andrews Meet Varsity

## Beat Raymond 34-32

RAYMOND, Alta. (CP)—Winnipeg St. Andrews last night defeated Raymond United Jacks 34 to 32 in the deciding game of the western Canada best-of-three semifinal series and will now meet University of British Columbia Thunderbirds in the final round.

St. Andrews won the first game 35 to 28 last Saturday but lost the second game 53 to 51 Monday night.

Down 23 to 10 at halftime, St. Andrews wiped out their 13-point deficit to nose out Jack for the right to play the British Columbia champions.

Raymond held almost complete command of play during the first half of last night's match and played a strong defensive and offensive game. Jacks held Winnipeg scoreless for the first seven minutes, while they collected seven points and during that time blocked all St. Andrews' chances.

Winnipeg passed well but were blocked on every occasion. Curly-headed Mike Rosnyk sent Winnipeg into the lead 30 seconds from full time and Raymond's last drive proved fruitless.

Rosnyk led his mates to victory with 19 points while Nalder was high for Raymond with 14. The game was clean throughout, compared to Monday night's encounter when three players from each squad were sent to the locker rooms on fouls. Winnipeg

# Boston Takes Second Straight Cup Battle

## Statistics on Hockey Finals

Team	G	A	P	Pen	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points	Penalty Minutes	Wins	Losses	Ties	Overtime	Shootouts	Goals	Assists	Points	Penalty Minutes
Boston Bruins	2	4	7	0	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Detroit Red Wings	2	4	7	0	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10

## BOWLING

**OLYMPIC ALLEYS**  
TIMES FIVEPIN LEAGUE  
Deckhands—Hilda Corbett 351 (average), Roy Jones 379, Bill Levy 465 (average), E. Wells 585 (average), H. Campbell 588 (average). Total 2,562.  
Headlines—G. Dabry 481, P. Dabry 394, V. Metcalfe 428, R. Pollock 551, W. Metcalfe 503. Total 2,527.  
Deckhands won two.

**Keytappers**—Patricia Levy 356 (average), Alice Lawson 550, George Guinness 575, Morris Wright 426, A. Cliff 664. Total 2,544.  
Classifiers—Miss Frances Fugina 390, Miss Betty Wilson 426, G. Robertson 629, A. Shield 511, J. H. H. 511. Total 2,607.  
Keytappers won two.

**Keytappers**—Gerrie Wells 422, E. Kittle 454, Chas. Trevors 709, Total 2,807.  
Disrupters—G. C. 139, J. Hamilton 418, R. Thomson 476, S. Campbell 548, E. Corbett 528 (average), handicap 45. Total 2,604.  
Capcutters won two.

**Capcutters**—P. Front 517, R. Saunders 530 (average), E. Whitten 614, L. Jones 623, M. Lawson 586. Total 2,732.  
Metallics—C. Hurdle 476, M. Paulin 455, D. Bradley 532, C. Preston 534, J. Green 570, handicap 42. Total 2,714.

**Circulators**—J. Urquhart 483, J. S. S. 595, D. Thomas 574, J. E. H. 609, E. White 503, handicap 33. Total 2,835.  
Metallics—Edith Jones 481, Margaret 371, A. H. 426, J. H. 426, low score 438, handicap 168. Total 2,403.  
Lucky 13 won three.

**Radicals**—M. Bentley 420, L. Hughes 572, J. McNaught 498, P. Ferrie 505, G. Ray 570, handicap 49. Total 2,566.  
B.C. Electric—E. Warder 460, M. Fox 467, E. H. 426, J. H. 426, low score 406, handicap 267. Total 2,113.  
Radicals won three.

**Radicals**—L. Lewis 422, K. Goss 538, N. Brown 490, W. Fallick 302, E. Walton 510, handicap 162. Total 2,532.  
Stratals—J. H. 426, J. H. 426, low score 408, M. Patterson 399, R. Johnston 522, low score 435, handicap 87. Total 2,335.  
Bapco No. 1 won two.

**SENIOR TENPIN LEAGUE**  
Y.M.C.A.—C. Cliff 512, P. Stewart 503, J. H. 426, J. H. 426, low score 438, handicap 18. Total 2,645.  
Watson's Men's—W. Johnston 541, G. H. 426, J. H. 426, low score 438, handicap 18. Total 2,645.

**Five Roses**—M. Bentley 420, L. Hughes 572, J. McNaught 498, P. Ferrie 505, G. Ray 570, handicap 49. Total 2,566.  
B.C. Electric—E. Warder 460, M. Fox 467, E. H. 426, J. H. 426, low score 406, handicap 267. Total 2,113.  
Radicals won three.

**WESTERN AIR COUNCIL FIVEPIN**  
Gipsies—Tomman 655, Stan 491, Pierce

## Conacher's Goal Beats Red Wings

BOSTON (CP)—Boston Bruins today seemed well on the way toward recapture of the Stanley Cup they won two years ago, but as they head with Detroit Red Wings for Detroit and the third and fourth games of their best-of-seven Stanley Cup final, at least one member of the Detroit team must have concluded virtue has no reward.

Consider the case of Jimmy Orlando, Detroit defenceman, who led the field in penalties during the National Hockey League schedule. Orlando went penalty-less last night when Bruins beat Detroit 2 to 1 in the second game of the Stanley Cup final. He had a similar spotless record when Bruins won the first game 3 to 2 on Sunday night.

When Orlando was plowing around defence in his usual robust manner, drawing penalties in the five Stanley Cup preliminary games in which Detroit participated, Wings won four of them. Since he stopped getting penalties, Detroit has stopped winning games.

**STARTED SCORING PLAY**  
The burly one played a good game in Boston last night, starting the play for the first and only Detroit goal by Mud Bruneteau in the third period. Boston tied the score at the 14th minute of the third when Terry Reardon converted Herb Cain's passout from a corner. Desse Smith had started the play.

The winning goal came when both sides were short-handed. Roy Conacher, unable to get off the ice during a Boston line change, turned from the boards and sped in on the Detroit goal with Milt Schmidt. Just after they crossed the blue line Schmidt slipped over a short pass and Conacher won the game with a 25-foot drive.

**SUMMARY**  
First period—Scoring, none. Penalties: A. Jackson, Liscombe.

Second period—Scoring, none. Penalties: Reardon, Stewart.  
Third period—1, Detroit, M. Bruneteau (Howe, Orlando), 241. 2, Boston, Reardon (Cain, Smith), 14:35. 3, Boston, Conacher (Schmidt), 17:45. Penalties: E. Bruneteau, Cain (major), H. Jackson (major).

A workout of the Esquimalt soccer team will be held tomorrow night at 7:30 in the Esquimalt Athletic Hall, Fraser Street.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas—Juan Zurita, 135, Mexico City, outpointed Lloyd Pine, 135, Akron, O. (10).

518 Boone 566, Deacon 543, handicap 81. Total 2,854.  
J. P. Howland 490, Harry March 444, Alec Hood 450, Norm Evans 397, Keith Winterbottom 522, handicap 171. Total 2,474.  
Gipsies won three.

**Bollingshops**—G. Hamilton 488, Miss McLean 465, W. L. Boulton 533, C. McPhail 588, G. P. F. Merle 700, handicap 177. Total 2,698.  
Defiants—Miss Kendall 540, Fenwick 529, Lewis 544, Drake 467, Anderson 458, handicap 129. Total 2,658.  
Bollingshops won two.

**Stranagers**—Frank Busted 533, Jimmy Acheson 519, Gordon Winter 574, F. Arnot 535, Jeff Rowe 461, handicap 141. Total 2,864.  
Hurricanes—Clark 588, McConnell 349, Wilson 531, Reicher 461, low score 427, handicap 216. Total 2,553.  
Stranagers won two.

**SAINTS RALLY**  
After the halftime breather St. Andrews turned on the pressure and took command of play. They held Jacks scoreless during the first 10 minutes to come within one point of tying the score.

With only nine minutes left to play Winnipeg rallied and took the lead for the first time when Ches McCance, playing-coach sank a basket to make the score 27 to 25.

It was nip and tuck until the final gun with Raymond taking the lead on several occasions only to have St. Andrews match their baskets on long-range shots. The final two minutes of play ended with Mitchell making good on Flowers' foul to give Raymond a two-point 30 to 28 edge.

Rosnyk found the hoop for Winnipeg on a hook shot and seconds later was matched by Mitchell for Raymond. In the final two minutes of play Flower was checked for his final foul and instead of attempting the free throw, playing coach Freddie Turned wasted the free throw and took the ball from out of bound. Turned threw the ball into play before the official touched the leather, with Hicken collecting a disallowed basket.

Rosnyk clinched the victory on a remarkable shot which he played from a scramble.

## E. Stock Named Softball Head

Head man of the Lower Island Softball Association during the coming season will be Ernie Stock, popular figure in sporting circles who has long been connected with the big ball game in Victoria.

Stock was elected president at the annual meeting last night. He succeeds William Jones who retired from any executive position this year.

Other officers of the association were re-elected by acclamation. Walter Yeamans is vice-president; Alf Longley, secretary-treasurer, and Bob Whyte, umpire-in-chief.

It was decided to make application for the use of Macdonald Park this season.

Monday, April 28, was the date set for the closing of entries in the various divisions of the Lower Island league. Opening games will be played on Monday, May 5.

Entry fees for league and cup play were unchanged.

The president's report of last year's activities showed that 22 men's clubs and five women's teams took part in league competition.

The financial statement showed a substantial balance.

## RACING RESULTS

BAY MEADOWS—Horse racing results here yesterday follow:  
First race—Six furlongs:  
Shasta H. (Rodriguez).....\$42.50 \$15.40 \$10.40  
Pollo (Strange)..... 13.80 8.20  
Bonny (Whaler)..... 17.80 5.40  
Time, 1:18.3-5 Also ran: Watousi, Ponterfack, Count Anlet (Westrop), \$14.00 \$5.20 \$3.20  
Ciclio Lindo, Bonnyne, Midsa Pest, Despire.

Second race—Six furlongs:  
Dazzlement (Westrop).....\$4.80 \$4.60 \$3.60  
Golden Cycle (Strange)..... 64.80 24.40  
Double A. (McLean)..... 59.20 15.80 \$3.60  
Time, 1:18.1-5 Also ran: Tigges, Cubin, Vanhorn, Reunapette, Ebony Eyes, Black Dori, Valinda Squaw, Allegation, Gallant Tour.

Third race—Six furlongs:  
Ong (Weidman).....\$7.20 \$3.80 \$3.40  
Jack Be Nimble (Rodriguez)..... 3.60 1.80  
Auxiliary (Franklin)..... 13.80 8.80  
Time, 1:18. Also ran: Reville Lad, Horvack, Conard, Eye Knocker, Hornet, Sharpy, Funderburg, Lady Hilda, St. Stephens, L. Ruth.

Fourth race—Six furlongs:  
Only Girl (Taylor).....\$20.80 \$7.50 \$3.80  
Butch Ball (Pearson)..... 5.20 1.20  
Downy Pillow (Dodson)..... 2.60  
Time, 1:18.1-5 Also ran: On Stage, Cantierup, Mimosa, Hustlin' Gal, Peral Alma.

Fifth race—Five and a sixteenth:  
Rich Son (Balaski).....\$9.20 \$3.80 \$3.60  
Ciclio Lindo (Westrop)..... 17.80 5.40  
Time, 1:18.1-5 Also ran: Tigges, Cubin, Vanhorn, Reunapette, Ebony Eyes, Black Dori, Valinda Squaw, Allegation, Gallant Tour.

Sixth race—Five and a sixteenth:  
Count Anlet (Westrop).....\$14.00 \$5.20 \$3.20  
Xenos Fox (Wilson)..... 6.40 3.40  
Joharie (Longden)..... 3.40  
Time, 1:15. Also ran: Lucia's Sun, Sun Phantom, Alisawood.

Seventh race—Five and a sixteenth:  
Rolling Ball (Dodson).....\$19.20 \$8.00 \$3.80  
Gold Field (Westrop)..... 5.80 3.60  
Furrooth (Neves)..... 3.00  
Time, 1:49.3-5 Also ran: Play Boy, Real Club, Fay D.

Eighth race—Five and a sixteenth:  
Tommy (Franklin).....\$12.20 \$7.00 \$4.80  
Herman Jr. (Longden)..... 5.00 4.40  
Double Pot (McLean)..... 3.60  
Time, 1:52.2-5 Also ran: Manrico, Tris Signal, Kitty Kee, Predilection, Young Agent, Ventrillon, Graysack, Doctor King, Golden Snee.

**THISTLES PRACTICE**  
A workout of the Sanich Thistles soccer team will be held at the Athletic Park tomorrow night at 8. The following players are asked to attend: Saunders, Underwood, Hunt, Gibbons, M. Speller, L. Speller, Fieldhouse, Joe Robbins, Macdonald, Fuller, Holmes, Minns, Peers and Anderson.

# Louis Draws \$17,468

ST. LOUIS (AP)—Joe Louis was paid \$17,468.52 for the 16th successful defence of his heavyweight boxing title last night.

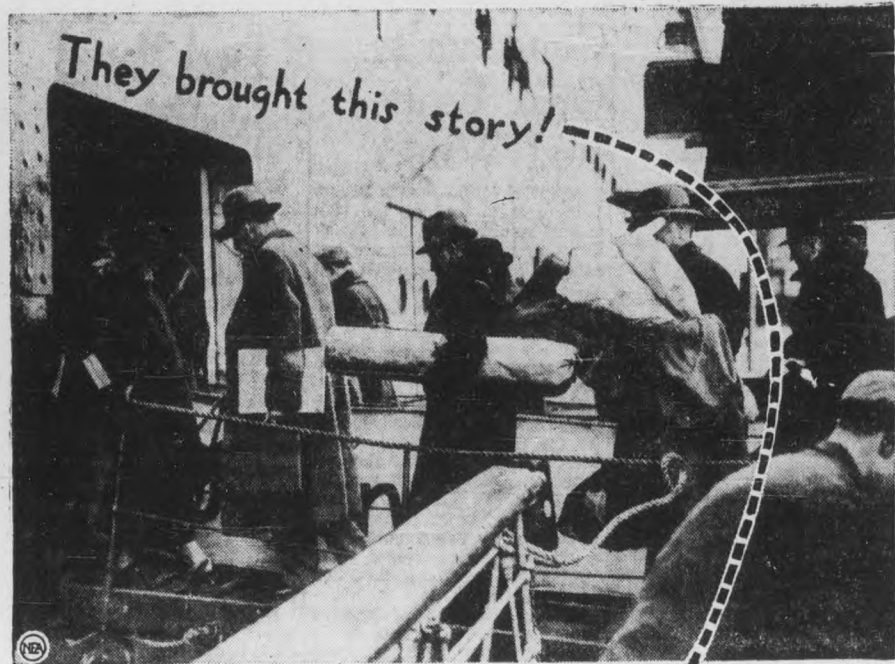
Tony Musto, the defeated challenger, was paid 15 per cent, or \$6,550.70.

Mike Jacobs, co-promoter, announced the gross receipts as \$52,592.50 and the official paid attendance as 17,472.



## Uncensored Story of Conditions in France

## French, Hungry and Unresisting, Now Nazi Vassals, Say Refugees



War-weary refugees... streaming aboard the few remaining ships that can transport them to the land of peace... they bring to America the true, uncensored story of life in France under the heel of the conqueror.

(This is a composite word-picture of France today. To get it, Tom Wolf has met many incoming refugee boats in New York Harbor in recent weeks... has talked at length with scores of recent residents of both occupied and unoccupied France... and from these conversations has pieced together a comprehensive, censor-free story of that conquered land which could have been obtained in no other way... In order that the travelers might speak freely and honestly, without fear of bringing harm upon their friends and families remaining in France, it was agreed that their names would not appear in the article.)

By TOM WOLF

## NEW YORK.

ALL OVER FRANCE today a story is being told to describe "collaboration" — that system of co-operation with Germany which Adolf Hitler decreed should be French national policy in return for an armistice.

"Collaboration," runs the story, "it where a German says to a Frenchman: 'You give me your watch and I'll tell you the time.' The meaning of collaboration for France, which just a year ago was sitting securely behind her 'impregnable' Maginot Line talking about the 'phony war,' becomes increasingly clear with every refugee and every smuggled letter to reach America. I have talked to scores of incoming travelers, on board ships and after their arrival. Their stories prove that today France, both occupied and unoccupied, is ever increasingly a vassal state—giving to the Germans whatever they demand, be it watches, food, raw materials, or manufactures.

## COFFEE TASTES LIKE PARAGORIC

The result for France is devastating want in all commodities. Most Frenchmen have lived for the last months on a diet of carrots, turnips, a few fish (though these have been scarce since the Germans caught French fishermen supplying the British), an occasional rabbit and potato, and acorn coffee ("which tastes like paragoric"). No wonder so many refugees report getting sick in Lisbon after eating a normal meal.

The Germans easily control the produce of France because it is centered in the occupied areas. Farmers used to separate their own cream. Now they must bring their whole milk to central depots, where the Germans skim it—so thin it often looks blue. This blue milk is available, by ration card, to children under three and the extremely aged.

One Parisian, whose child was born last June, told of having to bring the baby to the city hall every day—regardless of the weather or his child's condition—as proof of his claim to a ration card.

## MONEY TALKS AT "BOURSE NOIRE"

Centres of population are the hardest pressed for food. Fats and grease are so scarce in Paris, whose name was once synonymous with unsurpassed cuisine, that housewives have taken to cooking with such scented pomades and face creams as are still available.

The central Paris markets are open only for Germans until 2 p.m. Then the French may wait in line, perhaps until 9 p.m., for a few pounds of carrots.

The rich are little better off than the poor. To conserve everything edible along the Riviera,

once mecca for the international, doggy set, no one is allowed to own more than one dog. One American woman returning from Cannes is positive that the "rabbit" she ate at a world-renowned restaurant was one of her hair-dresser's cats—six of which had mysteriously disappeared the day before.

For those who still have money, however, anything from food to luxuries may be bought in the "bourse noire" or bootleg markets. All France is convinced that every German has his price.

## HEARSES MAKE COMMUNITY ROUNDS

In many sections, it is harder, if anything, to get clothing than food. Generally, raw materials are rationed to manufacturers on the basis of 30 per cent of what was used in 1938. Then 60 per cent of the manufactured product is taken by the Germans. A



A French workman bids his wife and child goodbye in Paris. He's off to work in Germany, perhaps willingly, perhaps through a Gestapo trick, perhaps because starvation can dim the fire of patriotism.

month ago, however, all Paris clothing stores were closed for inventory—and because the ration cards necessary to buy many lines were still to be issued.

Raw material shortages are great in direct proportion to the military value of the product. Gasoline is completely unavailable in most places. Two strange types of vehicle have replaced Paris' honking taxis and noisy trucks. One is the bicycle taxi—a tandem bicycle hooked onto an oversized baby carriage. The other is an automobile powered by "gazogene," a charcoal and wood-alcohol mixture. Even so, transportation facilities are so overtaxed that hearses are making community rounds, gathering a dozen or more dead at once. Coal, theoretically available at 50 kilos a month, is actually almost non-existent. Few hotels were able to heat more than one or two ground-floor rooms during the last winter, one of the severest in French history. Diplomats in Vichy considered themselves lucky to get two lukewarm baths a week.

Because the details of the armistice have never been published, no one knows whether the Germans are overstepping its terms. The Bank of Paris, evidently by the generous use of the printing press, pays 400,000,000 francs a day for the army of occupation—

about twice its estimated cost. This enables the Germans to buy whatever they fancy, and all reports indicate that they are investing in every important business in France.

At first it was more convenient for the Germans to let the French run their own factories and then buy the output. Recently, however, they have taken over important factories (like Citroën and Renault) for the manufacture of war materials.

## COMMISSIONS AND GESTAPO

Even in so-called unoccupied France, the Germans run things to suit themselves. Armistice commissions regulate life in centres of any importance. In Marseille, for example, the commission regulates all water and rail traffic, censors both press and radio. Along the Italian border, the commissions are Italian. Returning Riviera-ites bemoan the need of Italian permission to sell "even modest yachts."

In addition to these commissions there is the Gestapo. Its efficiency, in unoccupied France, is attested to by the disappearance of all German nationals in the French Foreign Legion, after its recent dissolution. To a man, returning travelers say that no one in France believes any official news. There is so much listening to the BBC broadcasts that the Gestapo resorted to the unsuccessful subterfuge of trying to sell gadgets "to improve reception of foreign broadcasts" in an effort to catch offenders.

Such news of France internally as there is comes from a variety of underground channels, including "free" newspapers. Most of these, like the now popular "Pantagruel," obtain wide circulation. Stenographers in many business houses (with little business these days) are said to type dozens of carbon copies of "Pantagruel" in their free time.

## 95 PER CENT PRO-BRITISH

Beyond non-co-operation and underground literature, there is very little resistance in France today. For one thing the revered Marshal Petain has asked for the avoidance of incidents. For another, there are 2,000,000 French prisoners in German camps. Further, there are a considerable number of Frenchmen who have gone to the Reich to work.

Some of them have gone unwittingly. In one town in occupied France some men answered a want ad. They were told to get a physical examination before reporting to work. There they were told to sign a statement, in German, stating their willingness to do manual labor. Actually it was an agreement to work in Germany and they were shipped off two days later.

Others have gone to work in Germany out of necessity. A starving family can break the will of the greatest patriot. But if resistance is low, anti-German, pro-British feeling is high and is steadily mounting. Occupied France is today probably 95 per cent pro-British. The figure is not much less in the unoccupied section. The Germans' recent discontinuation of air raid warnings in France (because the population was too pleased by British planes) is more indicative than an encyclopedia of propaganda on how things are going in this conquered state.

Drying automobile paint from the inside out is achieved by electrical energy generated in the car metal by inductive action.

## U.S. NAVAL ENVOY SENT TO BRITAIN

WASHINGTON (AP) — Navy Secretary Knox announced today James Forrestal, Under-Secretary of the Navy, is leaving for Britain for a visit of about two weeks "to establish a close liaison" between the United States Navy Department and the British Admiralty on matters arising under the lend-lease program.

Knox said the department is handling purchases of material in the United States for the Royal Navy under the lend-lease program and also would undertake repairs to British war vessels.

"Efforts are being made as rapidly as possible to establish a suitable uniformity in naval equipment," he said in a statement, adding that the purpose was to expedite purchases and repairs.

Forrestal is the latest of a growing number of government officials and other representatives of the administration to undertake personal missions to Britain.

## MORE WEAPONS

Navy officials said one of the chief objectives of Forrestal's trip would be to see if some method could be found by which the British could use more American naval weapons and other equipment not standard in their way.

For example, officials said the British use guns which are of a different calibre than those of the United States navy, but if they would agree to take both guns and ammunition which the navy has already on hand, it would greatly expedite furnishing of such aid.

The cropland area of the United States today is 415,000,000 acres, 342,000,000 classed as "good," but most of it endangered by erosion.

That's the Way It Is With Timetables, Adolf



## BRITAIN CHECKS ON TRADE WITH EIRE

LONDON (CP) — The Great Western and the London Midland and Scottish Railways disclosed today they had closed one passenger route between Britain and Eire "for reasons of safety."

An alternate route is in effect, railway officials said after stating that the main route was closed yesterday. There also is a commercial airline connection between England and Ireland.

It had been announced earlier and erroneously that the Great Western had canceled all passenger sailing to Dublin.

Authoritative quarters declined comment. Informed sources, however, pointed out the Irish Sea had been heavily mined for months.

Navicerts will be required for all goods shipped to Eire from neutral countries outside the European zone, effective May 1, the Ministry of Economic Warfare announced today.

The statement said navicerts—or British navigation certificates—would be needed even if the goods were to be transhipped to the United Kingdom.

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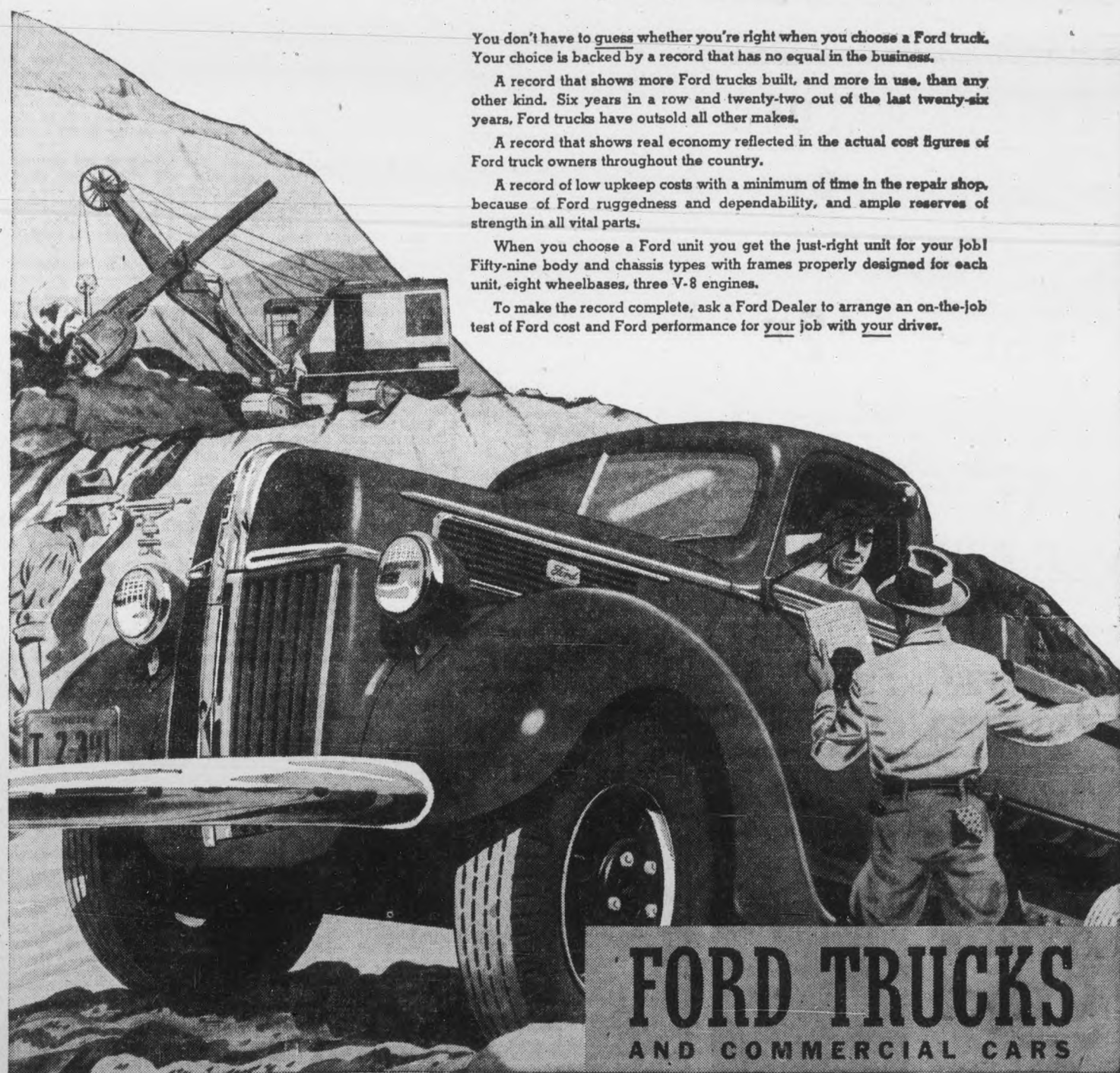
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Saanich police estimates for 1941, totaling \$17,090, were adopted last night by the police commission. This was an increase of \$660 over last year. Because the department's equipment was a year older, it was estimated it would cost an extra \$300 to maintain. A 4 per cent increase in wages accounts for remainder of the \$660 increase.

## New Plymouth Sedan



Latest addition to the 1941 list of Plymouths is the new attractive 4-door sedan. On a 117-inch wheelbase, equipped with 600x16 tires, dual rainpipes, dual sun visors, dual air tone horns, cigar lighter and assist cords. Retail for \$1,429 in Victoria, and is now being shown by Begg Motor Co. Ltd., Yates and Quadra.

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## ORATORY WINNERS

Miss Nellie Savin won the Malek trophy and Harry Garland won the Joseph Rose Challenge Cup in the annual Y.M.C.A. oratorical competition held last night. Hon. Norman W. Whitaker, K.C., presented the prizes.

Len Cox was chairman and A. McDermid was timekeeper. After the presentation, M. B. Byron, lieutenant-governor toastmasters' area No. 3, and Frank Paulding, Y.M.C.A. secretary, remarked on the talks, commending the speakers on the high calibre of their work.

Runners-up were Miss Mary Grant, Miss Helen Manning, Don Smith and Walter Parker.

Three motorists were fined in City Police Court today for traffic infractions. They paid \$2.50 each on parking charges.

## TOWN TOPICS

Business meeting of Ward Three Liberal Association will be held in headquarters at 8 Thursday evening.

The Victoria-Saanich Beaches and Parks Committee will hold its annual spring tour of beaches and parks on April 23.

Ollie Campbell pleaded guilty to a charge of unlawfully assaulting Lum Young Chow and occasioning bodily harm and was fined \$25 and \$2.50 costs, or seven days in jail, by Magistrate Henry Hall in City Police Court today.

Victoria Police Commission yesterday accepted tenders of the National Motor Co. Ltd. to supply a new police patrol and a sedan model automobile, also the tender of Davis-Drake Motors Ltd. for another sedan, and the tender of the Brooklands' Motorcycle Works for a motorcycle.

Egg prices broke this morning, all grades receding 2 cents. New prices are — to the producer: grade A large 19 cents, grade A medium 18 cents and grade A pullet 16 cents. Wholesale to retail: Grade A large 23 cents, grade A medium 22 cents, and grade A pullets 20 cents.

The Red Cross Society asks that any person knowing the whereabouts of Morai Nicolass, presumably a resident of Victoria, inform him that the local Red Cross, 605 Courtney Street, has an important message awaiting him, received through the International Red Cross Society, Geneva.

The claim of Mary Booth for payment of \$150 due her from Mima K. Mathews on a house Mrs. Booth sold to the latter, was allowed in a County Court judgment handed down by Judge H. H. Shandley today. A counterclaim by Mrs. Mathews alleging misrepresentation in the sale of the house was dismissed as was a similar action against M. D. Harbord, third party. Costs were also awarded Mrs. Booth.

Members of the City Council staffs last night honored Ken Lawson, popular former clerk in the comptroller-treasurer's department with a presentation and good wishes for his success in his new work in the provincial government's audit department. The presentation, which included a brief case and traveling bag, was made by D. A. Macdonald, city comptroller, and was accompanied by a testimonial from his friends in the City Hall.

In order to accommodate those wishing to attend the Sunrise Service at Mount Tolmie on Easter Sunday, special cars will leave all terminals at 6:30 a.m. and proceed directly to Mount Tolmie. At the close of the service, all cars will return directly to their respective terminals. Ordinary fares will prevail on the outward and return journeys. On Good Friday and Easter Monday all B.C.E.R. street cars and buses will operate under the usual week-day schedules.



**NEW SUPERINTENDENT**—J. J. Woods, who takes over his new duties as superintendent of Saanich Experimental Station this week.

## Greek Troops Interned in Turkey

ANKARA (AP)—The Turkish government, it appeared today, is watching development of the Balkan war calmly and it was unofficially reported some Greek troops cut off by the German advance had taken refuge in Turkey and would be interned. Their number was not disclosed.

Leaders of the People's Party, the governing political organization, heard a report on the Balkan situation from Foreign Minister Sukru Saracoglu yesterday.

The Turkish radio criticized Germans for—as the broadcaster put it—"considering all Europe completely under their control." The news from Greece indicated that the radio that the situation "seems bad," but "not dangerous yet."

Widespread air raid precaution drills were ordered for the Istanbul area April 13.

Turkey, it was reported unofficially, is trying to mediate the Iraq crisis resulting from a military coup last week.

## Committee Set For Blackout

A Victoria committee to organize a blackout test was set up after a consultation this morning between Attorney-General Wismer, Mayor Andrew McGavin and Capt. W. Ellis, civilian protection officer.

Acting with the mayor and Capt. Ellis will be Police Chief J. E. McLellan, Fire Chief Alex. Munro, G. M. Tripp of the B.C. Electric, C. C. Simpson of the B.C. Telephone Co., Dr. Richard Felton, medical health officer and Capt. W. Godfrey, passive defence officer at Work Point.

Arrangements are being made to have the blackout simultaneously with Vancouver sometime between May 15 and 30. The Attorney-General was assured by telephone from Mayor J. W. Cornett that Vancouver plans are progressing favorably.

Naval, military and air force units will co-operate fully, Mr. Wismer said.

"While the blackout is in the nature of a test only the public should realize it should be made complete," he said.

He added that the blackout was not only for civilian protection, but of vital value to the armed forces in studying defence problems.

## Services Drive Nearing Objective

Yesterday's subscriptions to the Greater Victoria campaign of the Canadian War Services Fund were not computed last night but officials in charge said the drive was steadily approaching its objective of \$75,000.

Yesterday morning \$67,261.09 had been subscribed. Canvassers of the central committee have reported to campaign headquarters there are still a number of firms doing business in Victoria with head offices in other parts of Canada that have not yet been heard from.

Reports from up-island centres received yesterday were encouraging.

Nanaimo, with an objective of \$5,500, passed the \$4,000 mark and was sure of reaching its quota. Duncan reported \$2,426.90 and Port Alice \$2,700. Qualicum Beach with an objective of \$500 had doubled this figure and Courtenay had pledged \$2,000. Cumberland reported \$1,170. Ladysmith \$700 and Metcoshin \$238.

## STAFF CHANGES AT CITY SCHOOLS

Staff reorganizations to fill vacancies caused by teachers leaving schools for war service were confirmed by the City School Board at its meeting last night.

K. Ross was granted leave of absence to take a post at the Naval Barracks, and D. R. McKay, vice-principal of Margaret Jenkins, to join the army.

In addition, Miss Ruth Fields of Victoria College, was granted an extra year's absence to permit her to complete her post graduate work. Her brother, W. G. Fields, will continue in her place.

Arthur Patterson of the Sir James Douglas staff, takes over Mr. McKay's former post at Margaret Jenkins, and Miss Muriel Bowles fills the vacancy at Sir James Douglas.

In a general reorganization at Central Junior High, Rowan MacKenzie is appointed temporarily to the staff, where readjustments will be made to share the physical education work among the male teachers.

## Victorian Made P.O.

CALGARY (CP)—Among five Canadians and 13 Australians who have graduated from No. 3 service flying training school, Currie, Saturday afternoon, and been given commissions as pilot officers, was R. P. Airey of Victoria.

## Another Corvette

A GEORGIAN BAY PORT (CP)—In the presence of shipyard workmen and a few navy officials, another corvette was added to the Canadian navy today when H.M.C.S. Moose Jaw slid down the way into ice-crusted water.

TORONTO (CP)—National campaign headquarters announced today contributions to the Canadian War Services Fund so far are reported as \$5,003,156. Objective of the drive is \$5,500,000.

Three provinces, Prince Edward Island, Quebec and Saskatchewan, exceeded their quotas. British Columbia has raised \$380,000 of its \$500,000 quota.

## OBITUARY

**CHRISTENSEN**—Residents from miles down the Bella Coola Valley converged at Bella Coola Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Adolf Christensen, who settled there in 1895 when the valley was a wilderness. She died during the week-end at the age of 64. Mrs. Christensen's father, Ole Fossback, was a member of the famous colonization scheme of the Bella Coola Valley in 1894.

**MILLIKEN**—Thomas Edmond Milliken, aged 70, died today at the family residence, 1561 Pembroke Street. Born in Glasgow, Scotland, he had been a resident of this city for 30 years. He served overseas in the Great War. Funeral services will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2 in the Sands Mortuary; interment at Royal Oak.

**WILSON**—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Isabel Wilson of Perth, Ont., who died at the Royal Jubilee Hospital yesterday, aged 65, will be held tomorrow morning, leaving Haywards' B.C. Funeral Chapel at 11 and proceeding to Christ Church Cathedral, where services will be conducted by Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunn at 11:15, followed by cremation at Royal Oak.

**SWALLOW**—Funeral service for Thomas Wright Swallow was held yesterday morning in St. John's Church, Colwood. Rev. P. J. Disney conducted the service. Interment at Colwood. Pallbearers: T. F. Swallow, A. Allen, K. Glyde, C. G. Jackson, R. V. Robinson and W. Yorston.

**MOFFAT**—Mrs. Isabella Matilda Moffat, wife of Adam P. Moffat, died yesterday at the residence, Mount Edward Apartments, in her 70th year. She was born in Duns, Scotland, and had resided here since 1897. Funeral service will be conducted by Rev. J. L. W. McLean in Haywards' B.C. Funeral Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 3:30. Cremation at Royal Oak.

**CALDWELL**—Robert Caldwell, aged 64, of 2321 Cook Street, died at St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday. He was born in Coleraine, Ireland, and had been a resident of Victoria for 31 years. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 in McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel. Rev. F. W. Anderson will conduct the service. Interment at Colwood.

**NIVEN**—George Campbell Niven, aged 61, died Monday at the family residence, 1006 Tatnell Drive. He was born in Scotland and was a veteran of the Great War. Funeral service will be held tomorrow afternoon in McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel at 3:30. Interment at Colwood.

**HUGHES**—The funeral of Mrs. Luella A. Hughes was held from St. Andrew's Church yesterday afternoon. Rev. Canon N. E. Smith officiating. Pallbearers: S. McCall, F. Lage Smith, Frank Brown, Hugh Andrews, A. E. Fowman and R. V. Robinson. Interment was at Ross Bay. Haywards' B.C. Funeral Company was in charge.

**GRIGG**—Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunn conducted last rites for Major Edward W. Grigg yesterday afternoon in Haywards' B.C. Funeral Chapel. The following were pallbearers: R. H. Edgell, H. B. Hayward, Capt. H. Collings, H. L. Rodd, H. G. Scott and J. Y. Copeman. Burial at Royal Oak.

**GALLOWAY**—Mrs. Marion Galloway died yesterday, aged 73. Born in Ontario, she had been a resident of this city for eight months, coming here from Vancouver, B.C. The remains were forwarded this afternoon by Sands Mortuary to Vancouver, where the funeral will take place from Mount Pleasant Funeral Home. Interment in the family plot.

**JOHNSON**—The death occurred yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital of Mrs. Mary Ellen Johnson, widow of Ernest D. Johnson of 1476 Gladstone Avenue, aged 60 years. She was born in Claremont, Ont., and had been living in this city for 22 years. The funeral will be held from Haywards' B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2 tomorrow; cremation at Royal Oak.

**BOYLES**—Many sorrowing friends attended the funeral of Miss Doreen May Boyles held yesterday from Haywards' B.C. Funeral Chapel. Rev. J. L. W. McLean conducting the service. Pallbearers: Edward Midgley, Douglas Hunt, Robert Scates, G. Barry, Robert Inkham and J. Motherwell; burial in Royal Oak.

**MORTON**—Funeral services will be held in Vancouver today for William Morton, 72, former member of the department of animal husbandry, College of Agriculture, University of Manitoba, who died Sunday. He came to Vancouver 10 years ago and until his retirement last year was a government beef grader.

**WINTER**—Mrs. Maisie Jessica Winter, 59, died in Vancouver Sunday shortly after she became ill while attending church.

## Chamber Directors Chosen By Ballot

Nine directors were elected by mail ballot to the Chamber of Commerce board for two-year terms last night.

They were J. O. Cameron, S. K. Campbell, Kenneth C. Drury, H. B. Elworthy, G. Hamilton Harman, E. N. Horsey, Alderman Archie Wills, Duncan MacBride and W. T. Straith, M.P.P.

The announcement of the election was made by C. F. Earle, chairman of the election committee, which consisted of G. C. Parrott, J. P. Land, Percy Filimley, J. B. Speck, J. E. Neely, Colin Martin and C. F. Armistead.

The new directors will serve with nine other directors who have a year in office, Herbert Ancomb, Harold Husband, J. V. Johnson, R. H. B. Ker, Walter Luney, E. W. McMullen, Captain R. W. McMurray, Logan Mayhew and G. H. Stevens.

Election of president and other officers will be held by the directors within the next two weeks.

## TOBACCO FROM B.C. REACHES BRITAIN

E. G. Rowbottom, deputy Minister of Trade and Industry, announced today word has been received from W. A. McAdam, acting Agent-General for British Columbia in London, that the first bulk shipment of cigarettes under the British Columbia Overseas Tobacco Fund arrived in London on April 1. The fund, organized by the Department of Trade and Industry in co-operation with Mr. McAdam, has been operating less than two months, during which time 1,000,000 cigarettes and several hundred pounds of tobacco have been sent to British Columbia serving in Britain.

## Overnight Entries For Bay Meadows

First race—Four furlongs: Ever Hasty 109, Bay Tree Girl 115, Radio Contest 115, R. H. Watson 108, Bobbie 108, Amerikerry 111, Jolly Matron 109, Lovers Lass 115, Polaris 115, Cactaceous 115, Hot Station 115, Lady Silver 115, La Ombra 109, Bay and Chain 115, Royal Lure 115, Laura Mae 109.

Second race—Six furlongs: Tiguna 110, Verde Hill 105, Baby Joan P 104, Dixie Dew 108, Undur 104, Venus Joe 110, Lady Barretto 109, Edna Greenock 109, Don Lito 109, Bright Shot 105.

Third race—Furlongs: Idle Bubbles 102, Our Haven 103, Camp Ground 106, Blue Pease 110, Crackade 110, Handy States 110, Nainook 108, Tradition 109, Saucy Maid 103, Stokerley 107, Kaps An 110, Lady Hilka 105, Fair 103, Pontefract 106.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Steel Rod 106, Branded 111, Armada 108, Donna 106, Wildcat 110, Poison Gas 109, Roller Skates 110, Nainook 108, Letwood 111, Gay Salad 116, Iron Smith 109, Straight Aim 104, Free Going 120, Persian King 109, How's Jimmy 109.

Fifth race—Six furlongs: The Raider 113, Scotty 110, Vain Star 103, Vegas Justice 111, Trump On 107, Anita Chiquita 110.

Sixth race—Mile and a sixteenth: Parmachenee 109, Doctor Gilmore 114, Crown Flight 115, Our Goner 109, Last Hand 109, Deedee 109, Picty Charm 109, St. Stephens 106, Merina 104.

Seventh race—Mile and a sixteenth: Manatela 109, Uplasia 115, Godspeed 115, Kumreigh 110, Crank Queen 110, Sure Foot 115, Red Deer 109.

Eighth race—Mile and a sixteenth: Patrick B. 114, Mere 114, Chryseis 104, Box and Ball 109, Marmalade 109, Nemont 109, Macabre 109, Hatrarch 109, Kitty Kee 104.

## Leahy Back to Vichy

VICHY (AP)—Admiral William Leahy, United States ambassador, is expected to return to Vichy tomorrow, cutting short his visit to the Riviera because of events in the Balkans.

## McCarthy Named

OTTAWA (CP)—Leighton McCarthy, who has been acting Canadian Minister at Washington during the illness of the minister, Loring Christie, will become the permanent minister following Mr. Christie's death yesterday. Prime Minister King said today.

**BAYLISS**—Mrs. Mary Jane Bayliss, aged 93, died yesterday at her home, 1218 Sunnyside Avenue. Born in Warwickshire, England, she had been a resident of Victoria for 30 years and was an active worker for the Red Cross and a valued member of St. Saviour's Church, Victoria West. The remains will leave the residence at 1:50 tomorrow afternoon for St. Saviour's Church, where Rev. A. S. Lord will conduct service at 2. Interment at Ross Bay. Sands Mortuary has charge of the arrangements.

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There are six floors of Furniture, Carpets, Linoleums and Stoves at the "Home" for your selection. And if you want to take advantage of "Trade-in" month, but are not ready to take delivery, we'll be glad to store any purchase free until you want it.

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## London Nocturne



By PAUL MANNING

## LONDON.

MY PAL GEORGE says buying those spring flowers for Eileen and Maggie was the hardest thing he ever had to do.

He bought daffodils and violets. Daffodils for Eileen and violets for Maggie.

Eileen had told him just the other day that she liked daffodils because, since she became 17 six weeks ago, they seemed somehow more grown-up.

Maggie preferred violets because they smelled nice.

MY PAL GEORGE, who is 16 and a Somebody in London's largest air raid shelter because he is president of the Youth Club and chairman of the dance committee, says that for nearly a month the three of them had been planning that dance inside the shelter. Finally the floor in one bay of the shelter had been cleared of bunks, colored paper streamers had been strung around the alcove, and by knotting some stiff blue and red paper around three hurricane lamps they had managed to have suspended from the ceiling what looked like Japanese lanterns. A four-piece orchestra of violin, accordion, banjo and saxophone sat in one corner.

When My Pal George, Eileen and Maggie arrived, there was a pleasant hum to the shelter.

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People were milling around, animated by the event and greeting each other just as if they hadn't all lived in that shelter every night for the past six months. Eileen and Maggie were very pretty in new frocks they had made themselves out of material purchased over a period of days at several East End rummage sales.

FIRST THE orchestra played a Paul Jones, and everyone got to mixing it. Then it switched to a waltz and finally swung into Riding High.

It was half way through Riding High that the wail of the air raid alarm sounded. But like every other night during recent weeks, nobody paid any particular attention to the warning. They just continued swinging around the small floor, having one swell time. First George would dance with Eileen and then he'd dance with Maggie.

Then Samuel Goldman, the shelter marshal, walked fast past the dancers, looking worried. He told My Pal George that the incendiaries were coming down fast. So George started to leave. But Eileen and Maggie were right there, too—because they were volunteer members of the East End Firewatchers.

George says they mentioned at the time that dance frocks were a nuisance. But they went right into the fire blitz anyway, each carrying a small 20-pound bag of sand because sand puts out incendiary bombs quicker than a stirrup pump or shovel.

MY PAL GEORGE says he lost track of the girls after a few minutes because those fire bombs were coming down hot and heavy and everyone was working fast. Sometimes they would land in the middle of the street and to extinguish them was no trick. Other times, though, a few would strike a warehouse and crash down inside the building. That's when you would rush inside in a fast-moving effort to locate the incendiary before it set inflammable material afire.

That's probably what happened to Eileen and Maggie, George says. They rushed into a warehouse and were trying to locate the incendiary when a high explosive struck the building.

Nobody knew they were there. No one had seen them go in. And when the raid finally ended and Eileen and Maggie failed to show up back at the dance, no one knew where to look. But George got up a search party and they looked the rest of that night for some sign of the girls.

They didn't find them that night, of course. Not that night, nor the next.

But three days later, when some air raid wardens were digging through a 20-foot mound of broken concrete and twisted steel, they found Eileen and Maggie clasped in each other's arms.

THAT'S WHY My Pal George says that, when he bought spring flowers for Eileen and Maggie this last time, it was the hardest thing he ever had to do. Daffodils for Eileen, violets for Maggie.

## Recruits for Home

SYDNEY (CP)—Army Minister Percy Spender announced today the Australian government at present does not intend to increase the strength of the Australian Imperial Force serving overseas, though this decision may be reviewed in the light of later developments.

While recruiting for the A.I.F. is proceeding at a rate of several thousand monthly, the minister emphasized that until there has been a positive improvement in the Pacific situation the demands for overseas service must be

## Pension Proposal Would Be Costly

The B.C. Pensioners' Organization has written to Premier Pattullo following a meeting in Vancouver Saturday suggesting that the provincial government take the lead in increasing old age pensions by raising to \$1 a day the allowance in British Columbia.

But today the Premier pointed out that such a move would cost the provincial treasury about \$1,500,000 a year.

"I have not replied to the pensioners yet," he said, "but do you think in view of these costs I should tell them we will do it?" The Premier's remarks were taken as implying that the proposal will be rejected.

At present the province pays a one-quarter contribution towards old age pensions. The existing pension rate is \$20 a month so that the provincial share is \$5. If the province raised the total pension to \$30 it would have to triple its own contribution.

In the current year total pension payments in B.C. are estimated at \$3,444,126. Toward this the Dominion will pay \$2,583,095, other provinces \$150,430 (for pensioners who have come here to live) and the B.C. treasury \$710,888.

## SCOUT NEWS

## OAK BAY UNITED

The meeting of the Oak Bay United troop was opened by Patrol Leader Murray Bracewell of the Buffalo Patrol. Patrol Leader Jim Kinghorn was awarded his pathfinder's badge. The first aid exam will take place next Thursday evening as the doctor was unable to attend last Thursday. There will be a church parade on the Sunday after Easter at which the troop flag will be dedicated. The men's club of the Oak Bay United Church has invited the troop to dinner next Thursday evening, after which the troop will put on a half-hour performance.

## Retires From Ministry

GANGES—A reception and tea was held at Harbor House, Ganges, recently by the combined Anglican Church organization of Salt Spring Island, V.A., St. George's Guild, Ganges and St. Mary's, Fulford, in honor of Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Popham. Mr. Popham is retiring from active ministry owing to failing sight. On behalf of those present and many who were unable to attend, Norman Wilson presented Mr. Popham with a handsome morocco wallet containing a cheque and Mrs. Popham with a fruit stand. Miss Katherine Popham was the recipient of a leather-bound album. On behalf of the Canadian-Japanese residents on the island Mary Murakami presented Rev. and Mrs. Popham with a case of silver spoons.

## STAFF SALARIES GIVEN IN HOUSE

OTTAWA (CP)—Names of personnel of the War Services Department, their duties and salaries, as tabled in the House of Commons at the request of J. A. Ross, Conservative, Souris, Man., show those in receipt of salaries over \$2,000 annually include:

Maj.-Gen. L. R. LaFleche, deputy minister, \$9,000; Mr. Justice T. C. Davis, deputy minister, no salary; R. J. Watrous, director of human and material resources, \$6,000; Capt. G. R. Benoit, supervisor of recruiting for military training, \$5,000; Dr. H. H. Christie, supervisor of military training medical services, \$5,000; Dr. E. W. Stapleford, director of voluntary services, \$5,000; George Piffner, secretary and liaison officer, War Charities Fund Advisory Board, \$3,900; A. L. McLean, chief clerk, \$3,120; H. S. Athey, accountant-statistician, \$2,880; Miss M. A. Curtin, executive clerk, \$2,400.

G. H. Lash, director of public information, \$10 a day allowances; Claud Melancon, associate director, \$10 a day allowances; W. B. Herbert, assistant to director, \$4,800; L. W. Brockington, K.C., recorder of Canada's war effort (Prime Minister's office), \$9,000; Guy Jasmin, French news editor, \$10 a day; Bruce West, photographic editor, \$10 a day; Fernand Denis, French news writer, Montreal office, \$3,500; Pierre Ranger, French news writer, \$3,120; George Hambleton, news editor, \$3,000; Nicholas Morant, photographer, \$3,300; J. B. Wadge, supervisor clipping service, \$2,500; J. G. Robertson, in charge of distribution, \$2,400; Harry Rowed, photographer and tank man, \$2,400; Paul Bridie, news editor, \$2,400; V. A. Wood, grade 2 statistician, \$2,400.

Vancouver: Charles G. Penrock, divisional registrar, \$3,600; Dr. Neil McNeil, medical adviser, \$3,600.

balanced against the requirements of home defence,

## GETS 'THANK YOU' INSTEAD OF FINE

Instead of being assessed \$2.50 for breaking the law, a motorist received something very close to a "thank you" from Magistrate Henry Hall when he appeared in City Police Court yesterday on a parking charge.

He was charged with parking on the street, this because his machine was parked against the curbing which surrounds the "island" on Bastion Street. He pleaded guilty when Prosecutor Claude L. Harrison said the by-law specifically mentioned this as

a no-parking area.

However, the defendant wished to make an explanation, which the magistrate granted. He said he and many other motorists had parked often—because there was no yellow line, except for a small patch reserved for police cars, around the island curbing to identify it as a nonparking section.

Magistrate Hall expressed the view the defendant had "rendered us a service" in bringing this to light. While he had broken the by-law, the yellow line was not there, and his explanation would make it possible to remedy the condition. "I will suspend penalty in view of the circumstances," the magistrate said.

## To Reside Here

NANAIMO—The resignation of Dr. G. A. B. Hall from the board of appeal under the Town Planning Act was accepted by the city council Monday night.

Dr. Hall, prominent veteran practicing physician here and in Nelson for 40 years, with Mrs. Hall, stated he intended to take up residence in Victoria. He is a past president of Nanaimo Liberal Association, prominent in pioneer and service club groups and the Masonic Order.

Dr. Hall in tendering his resignation after four years' service on the board, said they had handled 18 appeals, of which seven were

allowed outright and five disallowed.

## War on Crows

NANAIMO — The city council believes there are too many crows in the vicinity of the city and have offered to co-operate with the Nanaimo Game and Fish Association to get rid of them. The association is offering a prize of \$25 to anyone who suggests the best method of quick extermination. The association, however, reserves the right to demand a demonstration of the method before paying the cash.

Nylon sewing thread is new.

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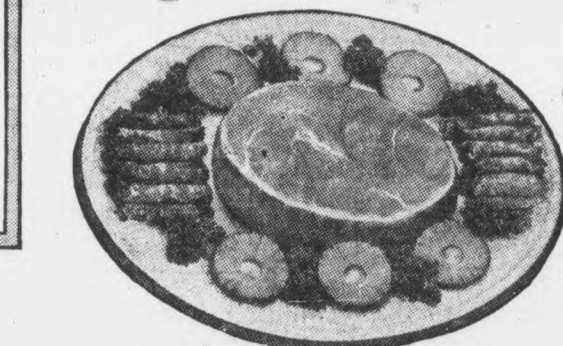
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## Announcements

### BIRTHS

HUDSON—At St. Joseph's Hospital, April 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest P. Hudson, 645 Dundas Street, a son, Lorne Philip. Both doing well.

TALBOT—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Talbot (nee Vera Brown), 771 1/2 St. James Street, a son, Joseph, on March 30, at St. Joseph's Hospital.

### DEATHS

MOFFAT—On April 8, 1941, at the residence, Mount Edward Apartments, 1566 Main Street, of Adam P. Moffat, in his 70th year, born in Dunfermline, Scotland, and a resident of Victoria since 1897. Besides his wife, he leaves one daughter, Mrs. Robert Moffat, one son, Mr. G. W. Moffat, and one daughter, Mrs. G. W. Moffat, all of Victoria, and one son, Mr. G. W. Moffat, of Toronto.

Funeral services in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 3:30 p.m. Rev. J. L. W. McLean, minister of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, officiating. Burial at Royal Oak.

JOHNSON—At St. Joseph's Hospital on April 8, 1941, at the residence of Mrs. E. J. Johnson, 1478 Gladstone Avenue, aged 68 years, born in Clarendon, Ontario, and a resident of Victoria for 22 years. Survived by one son, Captain J. D. Johnson, and two daughters, the Misses Kathryn and Jean Johnson, all of Victoria.

Funeral services in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 2 p.m. Burial at Royal Oak.

WILSON—On April 8, 1941, at Royal Jubilee Hospital, Mary Isabel Wilson, widow of Herbert John Wilson, former manager of the Victoria Hotel, aged 68 years, born in Perth, Ontario, and a resident of Victoria for the last three months. Survived by two sons, Mr. J. A. Wilson and Mr. J. A. Wilson, both of Victoria, and one daughter, Mrs. J. A. Wilson, of Victoria.

Funeral services in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 2 p.m. Burial at Royal Oak.

NIVEN—There passed away on Monday, April 7, at the family residence, 1006 Tenth Avenue, Dr. Niven, aged 62 years. The late Mr. Niven was born in Scotland and is survived by his wife and one son, the late Mr. Niven, and one daughter, Mrs. Niven, all of Victoria.

Funeral services in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 2 p.m. Burial at Royal Oak.

CALDWELL—On Tuesday, April 8, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Robert Caldwell, aged 64 years, of 2221 Cook Street. The late Mr. Caldwell was born in Scotland and is survived by his wife and one son, the late Mr. Caldwell, and one daughter, Mrs. Caldwell, all of Victoria.

Funeral services in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 2 p.m. Burial at Royal Oak.

GALLOWAY—On Tuesday, April 8, there passed away in the city, Mr. Marion Galloway, aged 71 years, born in Ontario and a resident of this city for the last eight months, formerly of Vancouver, B.C.

The remains were forwarded to Vancouver this afternoon by the S.S. Victoria and will be interred in the S.S. Victoria on Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock and proceed to St. Saviour's Church where Rev. A. J. Lord will conduct the funeral services at 2 o'clock. The remains will then be laid to rest in the Ross Bay Cemetery. S.S. Victoria Ltd. is in charge of arrangements.

BAYLIS—On Tuesday, April 8, 1941, at the family residence, 1218 Sunnyside Avenue, there passed away, Mrs. Mary Baylis, aged 82 years, born in Warwick, England, and a resident of this city for the last 31 years. She was the wife of the late Mr. Baylis, who was a resident of this city for the last 31 years. She leaves one son, Mr. Baylis, and one daughter, Mrs. Baylis, both of Victoria, and one son, Mr. Baylis, of Australia, and one daughter, Mrs. Baylis, of Ireland, and one son, Mr. Baylis, of Alberta, and one daughter, Mrs. Baylis, of Victoria.

Funeral services in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 2 p.m. Burial at Royal Oak.

## Announcements

### DEATHS

MILLIKEN—On Wednesday morning, April 9, at the family residence there passed away Thomas Edmund Milliken, aged 70 years, born in Glasgow, Scotland, and a resident of this city for the last 39 years. He is survived by his wife, at home; seven sons, Robert, William, Thomas, James, Henry, John and Ernest Milliken of this city; five daughters, Mrs. J. E. King, Mrs. A. T. Hardy of Victoria, Isabella, Margaret and Anna at home; one brother in Vancouver and a sister in Montreal. The late Mr. Milliken served overseas during the Great War and was highly respected.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, April 12, at 2 o'clock in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary Ltd., and the remains will be laid to rest in Royal Oak Burial Park.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bennett, Regina, wish to extend their thanks for the many messages of sympathy and for the kindnesses during the illness of the late Miss Mary Wormald.

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## DUNCAN FIXES TAX RATE AT 39 MILLS

DUNCAN—The tax rate for the city of Duncan was settled by the council Monday night as follows: General rate, 26 1/2 mills; debt rate, 1/4 mill; school rate, 12 1/2 mills; total, 39 mills; on land plus 30 per cent of taxable improvements.

A report was received from the Provincial Board of Health on the matter of the Duncan water supply stated that both the Cowichan River and the Skinner and Evans Creeks supplies are liable to human contamination. It is recommended that the council use chlorination as a safeguard against the possibility of an epidemic.

Potatoes are a source of vitamin C, providing one-sixth to one-fourth of a soldier's daily quota of this vitamin.

ESTATE OF ALBERT STAPLEY, DECEASED. NOTICE TO CREDITORS. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands against the estate of Albert Stapley, deceased, who died on the 24th day of January, 1941, at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, are to present their claims and demands to the undersigned, on or before the 8th day of May, 1941, and that all parties who have any assets belonging to or who are indebted to the said deceased are required to forward particulars of same to the undersigned, on or before the 8th day of May, 1941, and that the undersigned will proceed to make final distribution of the assets of the said deceased on the expiration of one month after the issuance of Letters of Administration, with the Will of the deceased annexed.

DATED at Victoria, B.C., this 9th day of April, 1941.

R. L. COX, Official Administrator, City of Victoria, Administrator of the Estate of the Will annexed of Albert Stapley, deceased, 519 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.

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## VALERIE HOBSON IN 'BLACKOUT'

Valerie Hobson, who is considered one of the screen's smartest actresses from the viewpoint of clothes, chose a turban and a matching scarf to complete one of the sports costumes she wears in "Blackout," the spy thriller which is showing at the Atlas Theatre today.

The cast of "Blackout," which is headed by Conrad Veidt and Valerie, includes Hay Petrie, Raymond Lovell, Esmond Knight and Charles Victor. Produced by John Corfield and directed by Michael Powell, it is released through United Artists.

Capitol Theatre Again proving herself a top-notch romantic comedienne, Anna Neagle scores a solid triumph in "No, No, Nanette," her new RKO Radio vehicle currently at the Capitol Theatre as one of the sprightliest film musicals of the year.

Based on the Broadway hit of the same name but streamlined to strike a swifter pace and a more modern atmosphere, the story deals with a girl's dual romance while she is endeavoring to pull her millionaire uncle out of a jam.

PLAZA THEATRE During the 15 years he was considered to be one of Hollywood's ace film cutters, Edward Dmytryk, director



## Convoy Attacked Off West Africa

AN EAST COAST CANADIAN PORT (CP)—Crewmen of a British freighter lying at anchor in this harbor told today the story of several enemy submarines which rose to the surface in the midst of their convoy, sank eight or nine vessels, launched a torpedo at a British warship and then disappeared.

They said they believed the warship was damaged, but that she was able to proceed on her way from the scene of the attack, off Freetown, Sierra Leone, Africa. Their own ship made this port after the assault.

Crewmen declined to talk further about the incident.

## Fewer Nazi Air Raids On British Shipping

WASHINGTON (AP)—Chairman Walter George, Democrat, Georgia, of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, said today establishment of a Balkan front in the second Great War would ease the Nazi counter-blockade against Britain and reduce to some extent the chances the United States might become more deeply involved in the conflict.

While George said it remained to be seen whether Greece and Yugoslavia could halt the German invasion long enough to establish a solid front, he declared Nazi concentration of air power there seemed sure to be reflected in a lessening of raids on shipping around the British Isles.

This, in turn, he told reporters, appeared likely to retard the demand both in and out of Congress for the conveying by United States naval units of war shipments to Britain. George has contended institution of such convoys would be almost certain to involve the United States in naval warfare.

## Cables From Canada Are Being Held Up

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—The Chamber of Commerce here is having censorship trouble with Canada.

The chamber announced yesterday that because of what it referred to as "excessive and frequently costly censorship delays of business cables to and from San Francisco," it had appealed to the State Department for help.

And the State Department, it said, has instructed the American consul-general at Vancouver to investigate and to try to iron out the matter.

The big trouble, the chamber pointed out, was in cables held up because of technicalities, such as a code word garbled in transmission. Citing an instance, it said a message was received in Vancouver and held up a week pending clearance, with the sender of a mutilated word.

The chamber wants the State Department to try to persuade Canadian censors to withhold only the garbled or mutilated word, in such cases, and relay the rest of the message in order to save time and losses to business houses.

## \$2,790 Halibut Catch

VANCOUVER (CP)—First catch of halibut landed at this port since opening of the new season April 1 sold for \$2,790. Prices were 2,500 medium at 11.5 cents, 17,000 medium at 14.4 cents and 500 large at 11 cents.

The catch was brought in last night by the *Passing Cloud* owned by Capt. Einar Dahl and Dan Johnson and totaled 21,000 pounds.

## BURIAL AT NANAIMO

Well known in Nanaimo, where he was a tailor until his retirement 15 years ago, William Robert McKenzie, 81, will be buried there tomorrow. He died in Vancouver on Monday.

## Around the Docks

### 2 Whaling Plants Will Be Operated

The entire fleet of the Consolidated Whaling Corporation Ltd. will be at sea by the end of the month, it was stated this morning at the Point Ellice offices of the company.

The season will be one of the biggest in years, instanced by the fact that the local whaling company plans to operate two coast plants this year — at Rose Harbor and Naden Harbor, Queen Charlotte Islands.

The first of the little steam whalers to go on the ways for cleaning and painting is the *White*, which was hauled out today by the Victoria Machinery Depot. The whalers William Grant, Brown, Blue, Black and Green will in turn be hauled out to get the last finishing touches before steaming out of the harbor for the hunting grounds. The machinery of the vessels has been completely overhauled during the winter months.

The whaling crews are being signed up in readiness for the season's opening.

## C.P.R. Pre-holiday Changes Effective

Coming out of drydock today, after being cleaned and painted by the Victoria Machinery Depot, the steamship *Princess Joan* will relieve *Princess Kathleen* tomorrow night, sailing from this port for Vancouver.

This will release the *Princess Kathleen* to take the sailing from here at 2 tomorrow afternoon for Vancouver, on the triangle route, relieving the *Princess Marguerite*.

The *Princess Marguerite* will take the 4:30 sailing tomorrow afternoon for Seattle, releasing the *Princess Charlotte*, which will carry an excursion from Vancouver to Victoria on Good Friday. The *Princess Elizabeth* will be the second holiday excursion steamer, sailing with a full load Friday morning for Vancouver.

## Ms. Heian Maru Due Tuesday Night

Now en route across the Pacific from Japan, the N.Y.K. motorship *Heian Maru* is expected to reach William Head quarantine station here next Tuesday night with passengers and cargo for Vancouver and Seattle.

## Motor Princess Prepares for Run

Brought around from Thetis Cove, where she has been laid up all winter, the C.P.R. ferry *Motor Princess* is now lying alongside the company's Belleville Street docks for general overhaul in preparation for the coming season's business.

The ferry will be recommissioned next month to take over the summer service between Sidney and Steveston.

## Low Easter Rates

With the approach of the Easter season, the Canadian telegraph companies announce that low rate domestic Easter greeting messages of prearranged texts will be available again this year between all offices in Canada and the United States.

For the convenience of members of the armed forces, both in Canada and abroad, exceptionally low rates will be quoted for overseas messages.

## PERJURY CHARGE

NANAIMO (CP)—Alexander Magark entered a plea of not guilty yesterday when his trial on a charge of perjury opened in Spring Assizes. His wife faces a like charge, both arising from a fire at Courtenay November 23, 1940. Chief Justice Morrison is presiding.

NEW YORK (AP)—Copper, steady; electrolytic, Conn. Valley, 12.00; export, f.a. New York, 11.00 to 12.00. Tin, spot, and nearby, 51.62; forward, 51.00. Lead, steady; spot, New York, 5.85; to 5.90; East St. Louis, 5.70. Zinc, steady; East St. Louis, spot and forward, 7.25.

## Wheat

WINNIPEG (CP)—Good support from exporters, shippers and mills held wheat futures prices firm throughout today's quiet session on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange while flax values did an about-face and jumped about 5 cents following yesterday's drastic slump. Final wheat quotations were 1/4 to 1/2 cent higher, May at 77 and July 78 3/4 cents a bushel.

The support offered wheat by exporters was believed to represent covering of previous sales abroad as no new export business was reported in Canadian wheat or flour. Offerings increased in volume but were taken care of by the good purchasing.

Crushers were credited with supplying the buying power which boosted flax quotations. Among the other coarse grains, mills bought oats, exporters and shippers took some barley and southern wheats picked up rye. Chicago wheat values were off about a cent early in the southern session but recovered a good share of losses. Buenos Aires quotations worked a little lower in most stagnant operations.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)  
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Oats—P. C. O. Open High Low Close  
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Rye—P. C. O. Open High Low Close  
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## Hall of Fame for Golfers Created

CHICAGO (AP)—Creation of golf's hall of fame by the Professional Golfers' Association, with Bobby Jones, Francis Ouimet, Walter Hagen and Gene Sarazen, the first stars to be honored with membership, was announced yesterday by P.G.A. President Tom Walsh.

Plans call for erection of a shrine for the game at Augusta, Ga., similar to baseball's hall of fame at Cooperstown, N.Y., Walsh said.

Women also will be eligible for election to membership in the hall of fame, Walsh said, adding that two members will be selected for membership each year by sports writers of the United States.

## INSURE JOCKEYS

NEW YORK (AP)—The five New York racing associations yesterday announced they would take out insurance on jockeys riding at Jamaica, Belmont Park, Aqueduct, Empire City and Saratoga.

The associations will pay benefits in event of death, loss of one or both hands or feet, loss of the sight of one or both eyes. The insurance also will cover benefits for a maximum of 120 weeks for jockeys totally disabled and under the care of a physician and a maximum of 26 weeks for hospital care.

Using an electric-eye device, scientists have measured the speed of light at 186,272 miles per second, or 12 miles slower than has been generally believed, and this is believed accurate with no more error than 8.7 miles per second.

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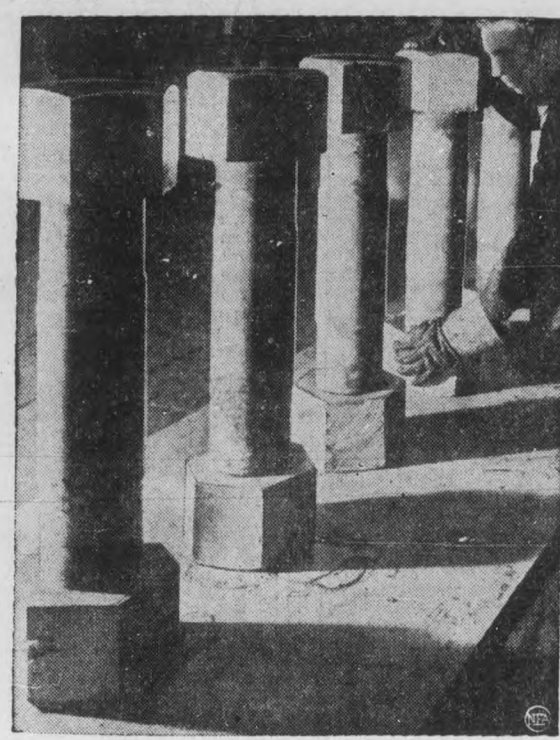
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## Bolts to You



Striking photo is made as workman at East Pittsburgh Westinghouse works coats 315-pound stud bolts with protective compound. Bolts will join sections of a steel shaft of a giant generator.

## New Strength for Convoys

## Britain Gets 10 U.S. Coastguard Craft

WASHINGTON (AP)—The release of 10 United States coastguard cutters to Britain was announced today at the White House.

(This was disclosed also by Prime Minister Churchill in his speech in the British Commons.) Stephen Early, presidential press secretary, told reporters the coastguard vessels had not yet been delivered to the British, but were being prepared for the transfer under terms of the Lease-Lend Bill.

## British Crews To Take Them Across

No commercial ships or naval craft are involved in the deal. Early said. Presumably, he added, the cutters will be turned over to British crews on this side of the Atlantic, as was done in the case of 50 destroyers released to Britain in exchange for defence base sites.

The vessels will help replenish Britain's vital forces used for maintaining her trans-Atlantic supply lines, but whether additional armed craft will be transferred to Britain was not indicated. Britain has said that she is badly in need of ships to escort convoys.

The cutters are armed, but Early said he thought they had little more than one-pound guns mounted on them. He doubted that additional armament would be placed on the ships before the transfer.

## U.S. Navy Urged To Combat Raiders

Meantime an outspoken suggestion by the chief of the Maritime Commission that the United

States might well help Britain combat Nazi convoy raiders aroused fresh discussion here today of the possibility of an early government move toward giving Britain naval assistance.

The commission chairman, Rear-Admiral Emory S. Land, U.S.N., retired, compared German submarine attacks on British shipping to a bonfire and said Americans should ask themselves whether they could not "give greater help by aiding the British to put out the fire than by concentrating our efforts on feeding it with fuel."

Britain's losses "are now occurring at a rate close to 5,000,000 tons a year," he said, adding: "It is obvious that large as the British merchant marine was before the war, it cannot long withstand such losses." Moreover, he declared, the United States and Britain together cannot furnish adequate replacements.

Land, President Roosevelt's key man in shipping phases of the U.S. defence program, spoke over the radio.

Mr. Roosevelt had disclosed to his press conference yesterday plans to add 39 seized Danish ships, totaling approximately 135,000 tons, to the American merchant marine.

The President will ask Congress tomorrow for funds to purchase the vessels, which probably will be turned over to Britain eventually.

## RETAIL TRADE UP

Total dollar value of Canada's retail trade in 1940 was \$2,729,000,000, an increase of 12 per cent over the 1939 figure of \$2,447,658,000, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported.



ANOTHER ROOSEVELT REPORTS FOR DUTY—Ensign Franklin Delano Roosevelt Jr., reports for a year's duty with Uncle Sam's Navy aboard the U.S.S. Mayrant at Boston navy yard. A member of the Naval Reserve, F. D. R. Jr., volunteered.

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Sardines,  
Tin, 20c**



**SPECIALS FOR THURSDAY AND SATURDAY**

**Purex  
Toilet  
Tissue,  
Roll, 7c**

ORMOND'S Family Size 19c  
Rycrunch Crispbread 2 pkts. 25c

PRUNES, bulk only FAMILY SIZE 2 lbs. 15c

OATS, Ogilvie Large pkt. 14c  
SHRIMPS, Nabob Wet or Dry Pack, tin. 18c

BEANS, Aylmer Asparagus style, 17-oz. tin. 18c  
CATSUP, Nabob Large bottle. 15c

SALAD DRESSING Miracle Whip, 32-oz. glass jar. 45c

Sandwich Meats FAVORITE FOODS 4 tins 25c

MASTER BAKER FLOUR NO. 1 PATENT, GUARANTEED 7-lb. bag... 27c  
24-lb. sack, 83c  
49-lb. sk., \$1.53

RED KIDNEY BEANS, 16-oz. 2 for 15c  
Spaghetti 16-oz. tins 2 for 15c

NUGGET SHOE POLISH, tin BIRD'S CUSTARD POWDER, pkt. WHEAT FLAKES 2-lb. Cellophane pkg. TOMATO JUICE Nabob, large 26-oz. tin CRUSHED APPLE JUICE KELO BRAND WORCESTER SAUCE, bottle 10c

LIPTON'S TEA RED LABEL 1 lb. 75c 1/2 lb. 38c

IVORY SOAP Large 9c Medium, 6c  
LUX SOAP FLAKES 22c lge. pkt.

BUDGET WAX PAPER 125-foot rolls, each 19c

Aylmer Pork and Beans 16-oz. tins 2 for 15c  
RECKITT'S BLUE 2 for 9c

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MAPLE LEAF, TENDERSWEET, EASTER-WRAPPED WHOLE OR PART **HAM** 28c lb.

SMOKED PORK SHOULDERS, Picnic Style, lb. 19c  
COTTAGE ROLLS, tenderized, lb. 29c  
BONELESS SMOKED PORK SHOULDERS, tenderized, lb. 25c

BACON, 1/2 lb. pkt., each 15c  
RUMP ROASTS, lb. 25c  
WING RIB ROASTS, lb. 29c  
PRIME RIB ROASTS, lb. 12c  
FANCY BOILING BEEF, lb. 18c  
CHOICE POT ROASTS, lb. 22c  
ROUND STEAK, ground, lb. 22c

Milk-fed Veal Shoulder Roasts, lb. 18c  
Legs of Veal, lb. 19c  
Rib Chops lb. 25c  
Rumps of Veal, lb. 25c  
Sirloin Veal Roasts, lb. 27c

Young Local Lamb Legs of Lamb, lb. 33c  
Rib Lamb Chops, lb. 28c  
Boneless Rolled Lamb Shoulders, lb. 29c  
Breasts of Lamb, lb. 18c  
Shoulders, lb. 23c

OLD SE SOCKEYE Salmon, 1/2 lb. 19c  
COWAN'S PERFECTION COCOA, 1 lb. 25c  
NABOB BAKING POWDER 16-12-oz. tin 16c  
MAGIC BAKING POWDER 23-12-oz. tin 23c

NABOB COFFEE New FLAV-O-TAINER PKG. 1 lb. 45c

COOKED HAM 1/2 lb. .... 23c

Apricots Aylmer Choice 16-oz. tin. 14c  
BARTLETT PEARS Aylmer, 16-oz. tin. 14c  
MIXED VEGETABLES Aylmer, 16-oz. tin. 11c  
PRUNES Nabob, extra large, fancy, 2-lb. pkg. 25c

PINEAPPLE Marrob, sliced, 16-oz. tin. 12c  
APRICOTS Columbia Choice, large 2 1/2 tin. 23c  
Grapefruit Juice Francis Drake, 50-oz. tin. 22c

Wagstaffe's Jam STRAWBERRY, PEACH, APRICOT, RASPBERRY 32 oz. Glass Jar 25c

LICORICE ALL-SORTS, lb. 23c  
WRAPPED TOFFEE, lb. 23c

WHEAT GERM 2-lb. Cellophane 15c pkt.  
RICE POLISHINGS 2-lb. Cellophane 15c pkt.  
HYGRADE TEA 1-lb. Packet 55c  
HYGRADE COFFEE 1-lb. Packet 29c

FRUIT DEPARTMENT

LARGE NAVEL ORANGES, doz. 25c  
NO 2 GEM POTATOES, 15-lb. bag. 28c

Florida Grapefruit 5 for 25c  
Sunkist Lemons, 14c per doz

New White Potatoes 6 lbs. 25c  
Large White Cauliflower, each 10c

HOT CROSS BUNS FRESH FOR TODAY'S SELLING 6 for 10c

PURE RUSSIAN MINERAL OIL, 16-oz. bottle. 29c  
Colgate's Tooth Pow'r Deal, 35c size with 20c size. 4 for 24c  
Woodbury's Facial Soap, 16-oz. size cakes. 4 for 24c

MILK OF MAGNESIA, 16-oz. bottle. 19c  
Hydrogen Peroxide, 4-oz. bottle. 7c  
Beef, Iron and Wine, 16-oz. bottle. 49c  
PURE OLIVE OIL, (product of France), 2-oz. bottle. 10c

RODIN'S Choc. Malted Milk, 16-oz. tin. 35c  
Malt Extract with Cod Liver Oil, 5-lb. jar. 59c  
Boracic Acid, shaker top. 7c  
Epsom Salts (medicinal) 3 lbs. 15c  
Shaving Brushes (Canadian), regular \$1.00. 59c  
Vacuum Bottles (guaranteed) 39c  
Halibut Liver Oil Capsules (English), 50c. 49c  
A.S.A. Headache Tablets, bottle of 100. 19c  
Genuine Ironted Yeast, 11.25 size. 89c

PEARL WHITE SOAP 4c cake  
ROYAL CROWN SOAP 4c cake

COLGATE'S SOAP OFFER 5 bars TOILET SOAP, 1 GLASS BOWL, ALL FOR 25c

P. & G. SOAP 4c cake  
SHELL GLASS CLEANER 25c 32-oz. btl.

VICTOR ROLLED OATS 28c 6-lb. sack  
PLUS CEREAL 25c pkt.

AYLMER SOUPS TOMATO OR VEGETABLE, 15 2 tins 15c

PEAS, Ferndale Sieve 3 2 tins 25c

PEARS, Dessert 17-oz. tins. 2 for 19c

Asparagus, Nabob Tips and Ends, 10 1/2-oz., 2 tins 19c

BEANS, Columbia Cut Green, 16-oz. Choice pack. 2 tins 19c

LARD MAPLE LEAF, 1-lb. carton. 8 1/2

SNOWFLAKE SHORTENING A.B.C. Product, 1-lb. carton. 10c

HEDLUND'S MEAT BALLS, 1 lb. 23c tin  
BURNS, SPORK 12 ozs. 25c tin

PILCHARDS Nabob, 1 lb. CANADA CORN STARCH, pkt. CURRANTS Bulk, lb. SULTANAS Bulk, lb. COTTAGE CHEESE per lb. SOUP Campbell's Vegetable 15, tin BAKING SODA 1-lb. packet 10c

LEISURE FLOOR WAX 25c 1-lb. tin

Leisure No-rub Liquid Floor Wax Pint bottle. 35c